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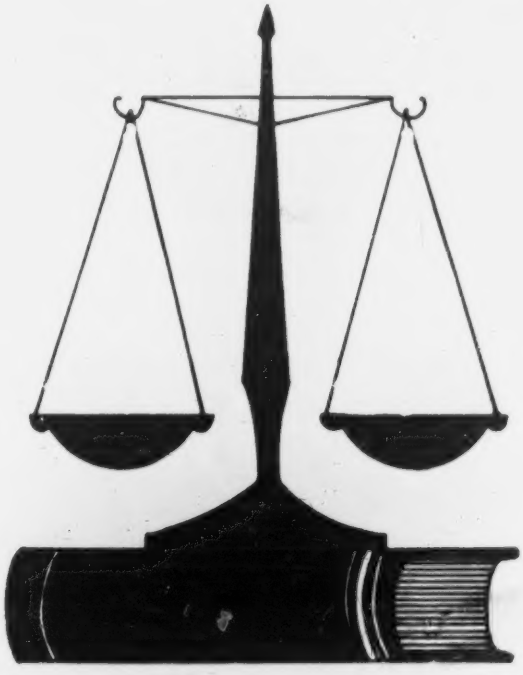

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Supreme Court
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This annual report on Tennessee state courts for the calendar year of 1986 has been prepared by the Office of the Executive Secretary to the Supreme Court pursuant to *Tennessee Code Annotated,* Section 16-3-502(3). Contents include the work of the Executive Secretary's Office and caseload data for the appellate and trial courts.

The reader should recognize that the filing and disposition figures in this report cannot, and should not, be viewed as a complete measurement of the judicial workload carried by any given judge in any given court. The sheer weight of numbers is not necessarily indicative of the effort a judge has put forth or of the hours he has expended in performing the duties of his office.

For example, a judge might spend a week or more presiding over a jury trial where a defendant is charged with first-degree murder. In that same week, another judge might hear more than a hundred uncontested divorces, adoptions, or cases where the charge is minor, the jury trial is waived, and the plea is guilty. In this example, the first judge is credited for the disposition of one case while the second judge is credited with the disposition of more than a hundred cases. Each judge, however, has performed the duties of his office and fulfilled the judicial needs of the citizens of Tennessee. Therefore, this report does not undertake to evaluate which judge has rendered the greater service.

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AN OVERVIEW

Report from the Executive Secretary

"Time was when a new judge mounted the bench, it was without any semblance of assistance in the performance of his duties. We gave him a commission, a trial calendar, and he mounted the bench. He borrowed sample charges from other judges; he counseled with his clerks and lawyers; he took his own law books and furniture with him; and gradually and laboriously, he equipped himself physically and mentally to function as a judge."

—The late Joseph W. Henry,
Chief Justice in his State of the
Judiciary Address, March 7, 1979

In 1986 the Office of the Executive Secretary to the Tennessee Supreme Court and the Tennessee Judiciary have experienced a busy and productive year. The Tennessee Supreme Court expanded the rule regarding compensation of indigent counsel to include payment in the following cases: misdemeanor and contempt cases where the defendant is in jeopardy of incarceration, cases charged as felonies which terminate before a general sessions or municipal court, petitions for early release, suspended sentence and probation revocation. In addition, a new fee structure was established.

The Supreme Court promulgated a rule requiring mandatory continuing legal education for all attorneys and state judges in Tennessee. This rule will become effective January 1, 1987.

The Office of the Executive Secretary continues to work with the judiciary in fulfilling the requirements of the Child Support Enforcement and Child Sexual Abuse Acts of 1985. A district public defender system was established as a pilot project by the Legislature for the 23rd, 27th and 7th judicial districts.

In 1986, the Legislature passed a bill creating the Tennessee Sentencing Commission which is administratively attached to the Office of the Executive Secretary. The Commission has the task of reclassifying criminal offenses, formulating sentencing guidelines and revising the penal code. The Commission is independant for all purposes other than administrative. T.C.A. § 40-37-101 (Supp. 1986).

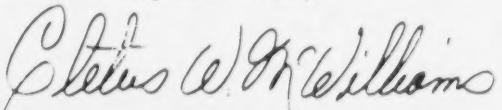
We suffered the loss of four members of the Tennessee Judicial Conference during 1986: retired Circuit Court Judge James Friel Hastings, retired Circuit Court Judge Joe M Ingram, retired Law and Equity Judge Ralph L. Lawler and retired Court of Appeals Judge Thomas A. Shriver.

Four judges left office to pursue other interests. Judge David Harrod re-entered the private practice of law and was replaced by S. Randolph Ayres. Judge Joe Loser retired from the Conference and became the Dean of the Nashville School of Law. Judge Loser was replaced by Matthew J. Sweeney, III. Judge Lloyd Tatum retired from the Court of Criminal Appeals and was replaced by Joseph Boyle Jones. Judge Robert L. Jones retired to re-enter the private practice of law and was replaced by William B. Cain.

The Redistricting Bill created six new judgeships this year. Two new chancellors were elected: Sharon J. Bell and Thomas E. Gray. Four new circuit court judges were elected: Donald P. Harris, Mayo L. Mashburn, Buddy D. Perry and Ben K. Wexler. The Tennessee Judicial Academy, an orientation program for new judges, was held in August, 1986, and 11 judges attended.

The purpose of the Office of the Executive Secretary is to assist the Chief Justice in the administration of the judicial branch of government to the end that litigation may be expedited and the administration of justice improved. T.C.A. § 16-3-803(a). The Annual Report of the Office of the Executive Secretary is now presented to demonstrate how this office has fulfilled its statutory purpose.

Respectfully submitted,



Cletus W. McWilliams
Executive Secretary

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Ongoing Operations & Special Projects

"There is created the Office of the Executive Secretary to the Supreme Court. The purpose of this office shall be to assist in improving the administration of justice in Tennessee..." T.C.A. § 16-3-801.

This authorization became law in 1963. The Executive Secretary is appointed by the Supreme Court and serves at its pleasure. He works under the direction of the Chief Justice, the administrative head of the state court system.

Four individuals have held the position: Cletus W. McWilliams, the current Executive Secretary who assumed the office in October of 1977; Paul Summers and Brooks McLemore, both of whom served approximately one year before appointment to other positions; and T. Mack Blackburn, the first Executive Secretary who retired from the position after holding it approximately 11 years.

The Executive Secretary is aided by a staff of 23 people. Following is a description of the ongoing duties and special projects performed by the office in 1986.

Committee Staff Support

In addition to the staff support provided to the Tennessee Judicial Conference and the State Court Clerk's Conference, the Executive Secretary serves as secretary to the Tennessee Judicial Council and provides staff support to the Council, as well as to the Appellate Court Nominating Commission.

During 1986, the Judicial Council met for two (2) special called meetings in July and August, in addition to the regular statutory meeting in October. The meetings in July and August were called by the Chairman for the purpose of appointing the offices of district public defender, assistant district public defender and district investigator in three (3) judicial districts as mandated by the Public Defender Pilot Project Act passed by the second session of the 94th General Assembly. At the October statutory meeting the Council took up its regular business, reviewed the progress made by the Weighted Caseload Subcommittee which is planning the implementation of a weighted caseload system for the Judiciary in Tennessee as mandated by the Redistricting Bill passed by the second session of the 93rd General Assembly, and also heard a report from each of the Public Defenders appointed during the summer.

The Appellate Court Nominating Commission met at Memphis in January, 1986, to select and certify to the Governor the names of three (3) persons whom the Commission deemed best qualified and available to fill a vacancy on the Court of Appeals (Western Grand Division) created by a judge who retired effective December 31, 1985. The Commission met again at Memphis in October, 1986, to begin the process of selecting three (3) nominees for the Governor's consideration to fill a vacancy on the Court of Criminal Appeals (Western Grand Division) created by a judge who retired in September, 1986.

Continuing Judicial Education

The Executive Secretary's Office offers continuing legal educational programs to the Tennessee state judges and to the clerks of the courts and their deputies. During 1986, this continuing education has been provided through in-state and out-of-state seminars as well as through books and periodicals.

During the year, twenty-eight judges traveled to nationally recognized continuing judicial education programs, utilizing funds appropriated by the General Assembly. Ten of these judges attended the General Jurisdiction Seminar at the National Judicial College in Nevada. That program presents legal, judicial and philosophical thinking and techniques of diverse jurisdictions. The educational plan of the Supreme Court recommends this General Jurisdiction Seminar for all trial level judges with one year of service.

In cooperation with the Tennessee Judicial Conference, two concentrated educational seminars were held. The spring seminar was held at Fall Creek Falls State Park and included the following topics: "Child Sexual Abuse Law," "Position of the Attorney General on Appeal," "Judicial Opinion Writing," "Evidence."

The fall seminar was held at Paris Landing State Park. The topics included: "Evidence," Civil Law Update," "Criminal Law Update," "Tennessee Sentencing Act," "Child Psychiatry—The Child Witness," "Enforcement of Judgments," "Ethnical Problems in Criminal Cases," and "Courtroom Management."

Attendance at the three-day seminars is voluntary and averages 85% of all active state judges. Final approval of the topics presented and the speakers was left to the Continuing Education Committee of the Tennessee Judicial Conference.

The June Judicial Conference was held in the Middle Division of Tennessee at Nashville. The site of the Conference rotates among the three grand divisions. Attendance at the Conference is mandatory. T.C.A. § 17-3-105(a).

In addition to continuing legal education, an intense program of initial education was offered to six new state judges during 1986. This orientation program, the Tennessee Judicial Academy, offers intense training in substantive and procedural law as well as court administration. In addition, advisor judges were appointed by the Orientation Committee of the Tennessee Judicial Conference to help guide and assist the new judges. A day of "shadowing," a procedure whereby the new judge observes and participates at the bench of an experienced judge, was offered.

The Clerks of Court educational seminar was offered at two locations during 1986 in order to make it possible for the maximum number of clerks and their deputies to attend. The topics presented were selected by the Continuing Education Committee of the Clerks of Court Conference. A large portion of the expenses incurred by the clerks at their 1986 seminar was reimbursed through the litigation tax. T.C.A. § 67-4-606(7).

Information and Publications

The Office of the Executive Secretary provides information to Tennessee residents, professional organizations, professionals in the legal field and the media regarding Tennessee's Court structure and function. Additionally, several publications are produced and distributed by this office to the state judges, as well as to others.

The *Tennessee State Judges Directory* is revised and updated for the Tennessee Judicial Conference. This pictorial directory contains information regarding the judge's court, district, address and judicial committees.

The Tennessee Judicial Conference provides the revisions of the Civil and Criminal Jury Instructions to this office for distribution to the publishing company and for preparation of supplements for the judges' loose-leaf volumes of *Tennessee Pattern Jury Instructions-Civil* and *Tennessee Pattern Jury Instructions-Criminal.*

The *Tennessee Trial Judge's Benchbook,* a guideline for handling problems that arise during civil and criminal trial proceedings, is made available to state judges. The large scale revision of the Benchbook undertaken during 1984 was continued. The research, drafting, and typing was provided by this office with final approval left to the Benchbook Committee of the Tennessee Judicial Conference.

Law Libraries of State Judges

Pursuant to T.C.A. § 16-3-803(d), the Executive Secretary provides the state judges with minimum law libraries, "the nature and extent of which shall be determined in every instance by the executive secretary on the basis of need." The basic library made available to the judges includes *Tennessee Code Annotated, Tennessee Decisions, Tennessee Digest, Shepard's Tennessee Citations, Tennessee Pattern Jury Instructions-Civil and Criminal* and the *Tennessee Trial Judge's Benchbook.* Other books needed by the judges are provided when budgetary limitations permit. The Judicial Libraries Committee of the Judicial Conference makes recommendations as to the minimum library. The current supplements for the judges' libraries are also provided by this office. A judge's library is state property which passes to the successor judge when a judge leaves office.

The Office of the Executive Secretary administers the use of Westlaw, a method of computer augmented legal research. Terminals are located in the following cities: Nashville, Chattanooga, Memphis, Knoxville, and Jackson. This office also arranges training on the system for the justices, appellate judges and their research assistants. The Westlaw system installed is a pilot program for the appellate judges.

Claims for Legal Fees

The Executive Secretary's Office is required by statute to issue payment to appointed counsel for representation of an indigent in every criminal case in which an adult is charged with a felony or a misdemeanor where the defendant is in jeopardy of incarceration, or in every criminal case in which a party is charged with juvenile delinquency by the commission of an act which, if committed by an adult, would be a felony. The Executive Secretary's Office is also required to pay appointed counsel in contempt cases where the defendant is in jeopardy of incarceration, petitions for early release, suspended sentence, probation revocation and cases charged as felonies which terminate before a general sessions or municipal court.

Attorneys representing indigent defendants may receive up to the statutory maximum of $1000 in non-capital cases at each court level (trial, intermediate appellate, and Supreme Court) at the rate of $30 per hour in court, not to exceed $200 per trial day, and $20 per hour out of court time. Juvenile cases are compensated at the rate of $100 per trial day with a statutory maximum of $500. Misdemeanor cases are reimbursed at $60 per trial day with a statutory maximum of $100.

The payment in contempt cases is $100 per trial day with a statutory maximum of $250.

Capital cases are defined as those in which the defendant is indicted for an offense punishable by death and the district attorney general announces, prior to the presentation of proof that the state will insist upon the death penalty, or the prospective jurors are examined with respect to capital punishment. In a capital case, two attorneys may be appointed per defendant. Compensation for representation in capital cases is reimbursed at the rate of $30 per hour for in court time, not to exceed $200 for each day of trial with trial preparation reimbursed at the rate of $20 per hour. The total amount of compensation for representation of indigent defendants in capital cases shall be determined by the appropriate court. The claim must be submitted to the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court for final approval by the Executive Secretary and the Chief Justice. (T.C.A. 40-14-201 to 40-14-210, T.C.A. 37-1-150 and Rule 13 of the Supreme Court).

The Office of the Executive Secretary issues payment to attorneys appointed by the Tennessee Board of Paroles for representation of indigent parolees in proceedings wherein representation is necessary to meet the mandates of the United States Supreme Court. (T.C.A. 40-28-122 and Rule 16 of the Supreme Court).

Payment for representation of indigent defendants is issued from the Office of the Executive Secretary to the Public Defender Offices of Davidson County, Sevier County and Shelby County. Annual reimbursements cannot exceed the total local annual budget. (T.C.A. 40-14-209).

In addition to auditing and paying claims for indigents in criminal cases, the Executive Secretary's Office pays for judicial costs in judicial mental health proceedings where the party responsible for costs has been found indigent. (T.C.A. 33-3-503 and Rule 15 of the Supreme Court).

Fiscal Services

This office administers eleven budget codes. This includes preparing and submitting budget requests; issuing payroll; auditing and paying invoices for equipment, supplies, etc.; insuring that codes are not overspent; and, obtaining authorization to transfer funds from one code to another when necessary. Below is an explanation of the 13 budget codes for the judicial branch for Fiscal Year 1985-1986. The first eleven are administered by the Executive Secretary's Office. The last two are administered by the appellate court clerks and the executive secretary to the Board of Law Examiners, respectively:

1. *Appellate and Trial Courts.* Salaries and benefits for state judges, their secretaries, three Supreme Court staff attorneys, appellate court law clerks, and special judges designated by the Chief Justice; travel and office expenses for judges, and minimum law libraries. Total Expended - $14,224,080.38; (a) State Appropriations - $14,212,030.44, (b) Inter-Department Revenues - $12,049.94.

2. *Supreme Court Buildings.* Funds for the operation and maintenance of the Supreme Court buildings in Nashville, Knoxville and Jackson. Total Expended - $443,567.05.

3. *Indigent Defendant's Counsel.* Payments to attorneys who are appointed to represent a juvenile or adult who cannot afford an attorney when such defendant is charged with a felony. Also the payment of legal costs when an indigent is responsible for such costs resulting from judicial mental health proceedings. Total Expended - $3,564,344.18.

4. *Verbatim Transcripts.* Salaries, benefits, transcript fees, travel costs, and miscellaneous expenses incurred by court reporters who provide trial transcripts to persons indicted in felonies. Total Expended - $1,486,677.29.

5. *Tennessee State Law Libraries.* Salaries and benefits for law librarians, their assistants, and funds to purchase the necessary books and materials to maintain law libraries in Nashville, Knoxville and Jackson. Total Expended - $368,190.30.

6. *Judicial Council and Conference.* Travel and miscellaneous expenses incurred in connection with the annual Judicial Conference mandated by statute, for two judicial continuing legal education seminars scheduled each year and for members of the Judicial Council who study and make recommendations concerning the state judicial system. Total Expended - $121,486.82.

7. *Judicial Committees.* Travel expenses of the three members of the Committee on Uniform Laws and the state's annual dues to the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform Laws. Also travel expenses for members of the Appellate Court Nominating Commission and the Court of the Judiciary. Total Expended - $24,383.98.

8. *State Court Clerks' Conference.* Travel and miscellaneous expenses incurred by State court clerks and their deputies for attending State Court Clerks' Conference as mandated by statute. Total Expended - $84,195.67.

9. *Court System Administration.* Salaries and operational expenses of the Office of the Executive Secretary to the Supreme Court. Total Expended - $807,037.61

10. *Tennessee Sentencing Commission.* Salaries, benefits and operational expenses for the Commission whose purpose is to review the criminal code, classify criminal offenses, adopt sentencing guidelines and monitor the Criminal Justice System. Total Expended - $75,450.42.

11. *District Public Defenders.* Salaries, benefits and operational expenses for pilot programs for District Public Defenders in the 7th, 23rd and 27th Judicial Districts. No figures available for 1985-86.

12. *Appellate Court Clerks.* Expenses of the appellate courts, which include printing, communications, maintenance and supplies. Also salaries of marshals and porters. Total Expended - $414,547.80.

13. *Board of Law Examiners.* Salaries and operating expenses of the three-member board and support personnel necessary in its role of determining the fitness of applicants for license to practice law in Tennessee. Total Expended - $213,220.00.

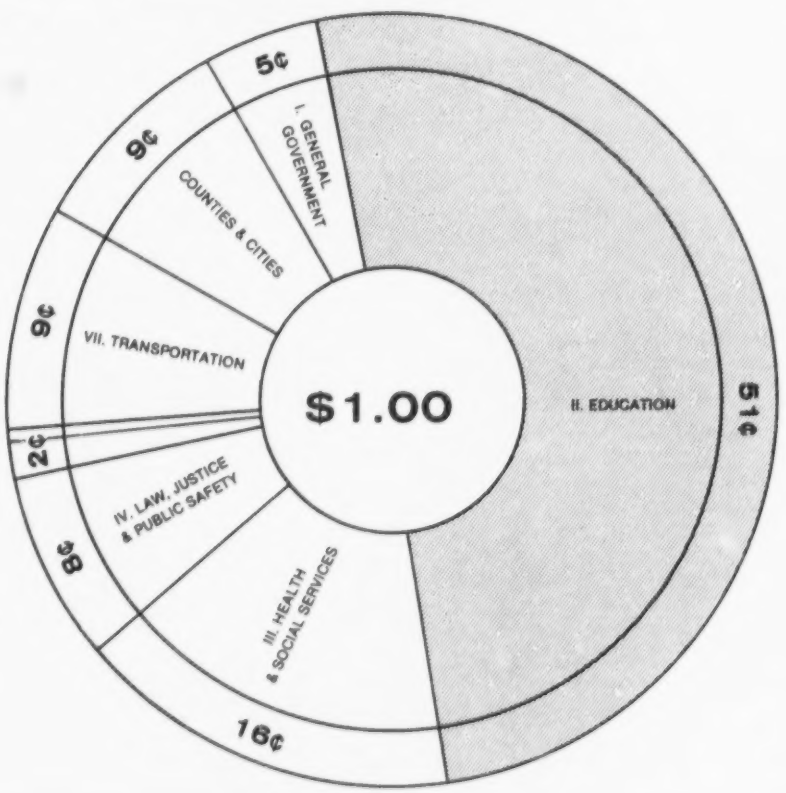
Judicial Expenditures Fiscal Year 1985-1986

(Source: State Budget Document, 1987-1988)

Judicial Department	State Government	Per Cent of State Budget
$23,861,200	$4,997,990,100	.4

Where Your Tax Dollar Goes, 1985-1986

Of the 8¢ for Law, Justice, and Public Safety, only .7¢ went for the state court system.



Court Reporting

Tennessee's courts exercising jurisdiction over any criminal action are staffed by Official Designated Court Reporters.

Presently, sixty-one (61) employees are designated officials who serve the reporting system. Each court is provided with audio recorders which are operated by the designated reporter.

The courts of the 30th District, Shelby County, are assigned an area coordinator who schedules the reporters' appearances on a weekly rotation assignment. The remaining districts are served by an official who is assigned to his or her appointing judge.

The Office of the Executive Secretary coordinates the reporting system and serves as a central distribution point for supplies and equipment throughout the state. Further, the state requirements for skill levels and compensation are established by this office.

In 1986, the Official Court Reporter's Manual was revised primarily through the efforts of the Official Court Reporters' Continuing Education Committee. The continuing revision of this manual will contribute to the court reporting system.

Property Inventory

The inventory of all state personal property is a continuous process which relies predominantly on the assistance of the assignee to verify his/her property assignment.

Personal property listings have been modernized through the purging of obsolete items to bring our property inventory to standards set by the Department of General Services. The annual verification of sensitive equipment is completed each spring.

Tennessee Judicial Information System

The Office of the Executive Secretary is required by statute to survey the courts of record and to compile statistics reflecting their caseload. This was the ninth year in which this office carried out that requirement utilizing a computerized casetracking system, commonly referred to as TJIS (Tennessee Judicial Information System). With this system, caseload data is reported on paper forms completed in the clerks' offices, and then keypunched into the computer. Five courts send their caseload information on magnetic tapes which are fed directly into the computer. Those courts are Hamilton County Circuit, Knox County Chancery and Circuit, and Sullivan County Circuit and Criminal.

The general accuracy of the trial court caseload statistics has improved over recent years. For example, the 1986 statewide divorce decrees reflected by TJIS differed by only 1.3 percent from the State Center for Health Statistics' provisional figures for divorce certificates issued. In 1985, the difference was 2.3 percent.

Additional Information

The Office of the Executive Secretary will be happy to furnish further information upon request. Please write to the Office of the Executive Secretary, Tennessee Supreme Court, Nashville, Tennessee 37219, or call any of the following divisions of the office:

	(area code 615)
Administration	741-2687
Court Reporting Serv ces	741-4416
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Tennessee Judicial Information System	741-3154

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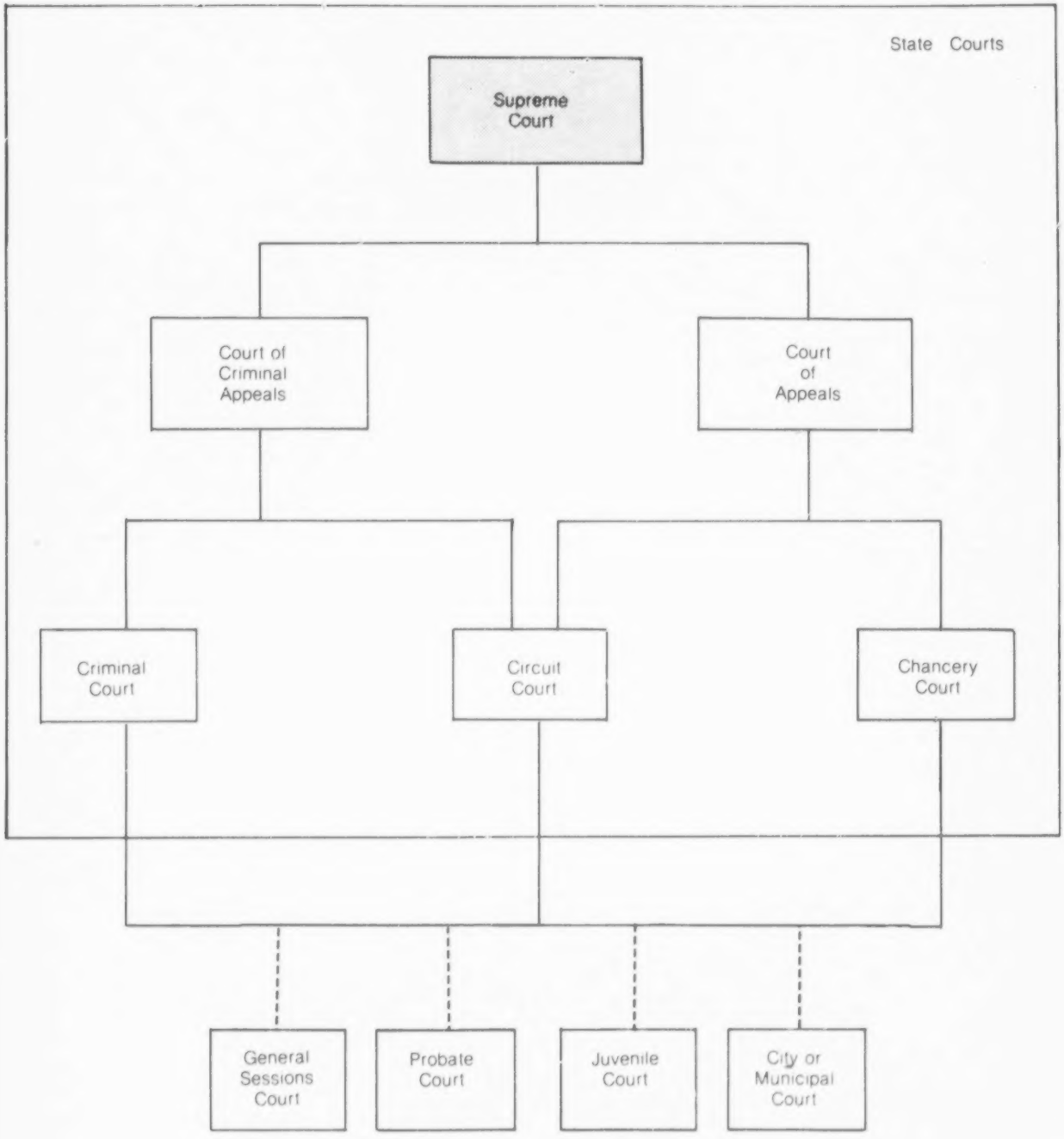

SUPREME COURT

"The judicial power of this State shall be vested in one Supreme Court and in such Circuit/Chancery and other inferior courts as the Legislature shall from time to time, ordain and establish; in Judges thereof, and in Justices of the Peace. . ."

—Article VI, Section 1 of the Tennessee Constitution

Organization and Selection

The judicial power of the state of Tennessee is vested in the Supreme Court and in such circuit, chancery and other inferior courts as the Legislature establishes. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 1. The Supreme Court consists of five elected justices, of whom not more than two may reside in any one of the grand divisions of the State. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 2, 3. The justices are elected to eight year terms. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 3. The Constitution requires the justices to be thirty-five years of age and a State resident for five years. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 3. The justices must also be authorized to practice law in the courts of Tennessee. T.C.A. § 17-1-106(a).

The justices designate one of their own number to preside as Chief Justice. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 2. The present Court rotates the office of Chief Justice among the justices, with each serving in the position for one-fifth of the eight year term (approximately nineteen months).

The Supreme Court holds court at Knoxville, Nashville and Jackson. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 2. In addition to these locations, court may be held in such other places as the Chief Justice may designate. T.C.A. § 16-2-102. The Supreme Court is required by statute to hold court at Knoxville on the second Monday in September, at Nashville on the first Monday in December, and at Jackson on the first Monday in April. T.C.A. § 16-2-103. During 1986, the Court held session at Knoxville in January, May, and September, at Nashville in February, June, and October, and at Jackson in April and November.

At the end of 1986, members of the Supreme Court were: Chief Justice Ray L. Brock, Associate Justices William H. D. Fones, Robert E. Cooper, William J. Harbison, and Frank F. Drowota, III.

Administration of Justice

The Supreme Court is vested with constitutional, statutory, and inherent power to supervise the courts and the administration of justice in the State of Tennessee. *See* Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 2; *T.C.A.* §§ 16-3-501 to 504; *Belmont v. Board of Law Examiners,* 511 S.W.2d 461 (Tenn. 1974); and *In Re: Petition of the Tennessee Bar Association,* 539 S.W.2d 805 (Tenn. 1976).

In addition to other constitutional, statutory, and inherent power, but not restrictive thereof, the Supreme Court has the power:

(a) To designate and assign temporarily any judge or chancellor to hold or sit as a member of any court of comparable dignity or higher level, for any good and sufficient reason;

(b) To maintain a roster of retired judges who are willing and able to undertake special duties from time to time and to designate or assign them appropriate judicial duties;

(c) To require the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court to make a careful and continuing survey of the dockets of the circuit, criminal, chancery and other similar courts of record and to report at periodic intervals to the court and annually to the general assembly;

(d) To take affirmative and appropriate action to correct or alleviate any imbalance in caseloads among the various judicial circuits and chancery divisions of the state;

(e) To take affirmative and appropriate action to correct or alleviate any condition or situation adversely affecting the administration of justice within the state;

(f) To take all such other, further and additional action as may be necessary to the orderly administration of justice within the state; and

(g) To adopt, upon the recommendation of its executive secretary, an annual plan providing for the orientation of newly elected or appointed judges of trial or appellate courts of record and for appropriate continuing legal education and training of such judges. T.C.A. § 16-3-502.

The Supreme Court is empowered to prescribe general rules of practice and procedure in all the courts of Tennessee. T.C.A. § 16-3-402. These rules may not abridge, enlarge or modify any substantive right. T.C.A. § 16-3-403. The Supreme Court has promulgated the following rules: (1) Tennessee Supreme Court Rules; (2) Tennessee Rules of Appellate Procedure; (3) Tennessee Rules of Civil Procedure; (4) Tennessee Rules of Criminal Procedure; and (5) Tennessee Rules of Juvenile Procedure.

The constitutional and statutory powers of the Chief Justice are as follows:

(1) He presides at the impeachment trials of any

public official who may be impeached under the article V, section 2 of the Tennessee Constitution.

(2) He designates special judges or chancellors to hear cases whenever the regular judge or chancellor is unable to try the docket in any court of his division or circuit or whenever any circuit, chancery or criminal court becomes congested or whenever delay in disposition of litigation becomes imminent. T.C.A. §§ 17-2-109, 110.

(3) He approves the salaries for secretarial assistants for trial judges and chancellors. T.C.A. § 17-1-402.

(4) He assigns replacements for judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals who are temporarily unable to perform their duties because of absence, sickness, disqualification or other disability. T.C.A. § 16-5-105.

(5) He serves as Chairman of the commissions to control the Supreme Court Buildings in Nashville, Knoxville, and Jackson. T.C.A. §§ 16-3-701 to 703.

(6) He fixes, in concurrence with the Executive Secretary, the amount of compensation paid to the clerks and stenographers of the Supreme Court Justices. T.C.A. § 8-23-108.

(7) He assigns retired judges or retired attorneys general to hold any court in the state to relieve congested dockets or to sit for absent or incapacitated judges. T.C.A. §§ 8-36-806, 807.

(8) He serves as chairman of the Law Library Commission. T.C.A. § 10-4-101.

(9) He is chairman of and appoints two members to serve on the Tennessee Code Commission. T.C.A. § 1-1-101.

Responsibility for the day-to-day administration of the Supreme Court is entrusted to the Clerks of the Supreme Court. There is one such clerk in each of the three grand divisions appointed by the Supreme Court for a six-year term and eligible for reappointment. T.C.A. § 18-3-101. The clerks must maintain and keep current all dockets, records and files as prescribed by law or order of the court until their disposal is ordered by the court. T.C.A. §§ 18-3-102 to 108. In 1986, the Clerks of the Supreme Court were: (1) Knoxville - Robert Summer; (2) Nashville - Ramsey Leathers; and, (3) Jackson - Jewel Redden.

Jurisdiction

Article 6, Section 2 of the Tennessee Constitution states that the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court ". . .shall be appellate only, under such restrictions and regulations as may from time to time be prescribed by law; but it may possess such other jurisdiction as is now conferred by law on the present Supreme Court."

This section of the Tennessee Constitution has been construed in many cases, and the holdings of the Supreme Court have been uniform to the effect that it is without original jurisdiction in any matter, and it is beyond the power of the Legislature to confer original jurisdiction upon it. *See In re Bowers,* 137 Tenn. 193, 192 S.W. 919 (1917). The Supreme Court has also held that the "other jurisdiction" clause in the foregoing provision applies only to such matters as are absolutely necessary to effectuate the Court's appellate jurisdiction. *See Miller v. Conlee,* 37 Tenn. 432 (1858); *State ex rel Conner v. Herbert,* 127 Tenn. 220, 154 S.W. 957 (1912).

As stated above, the Supreme Court is vested with appellate jurisdiction under Article 6, Section 2 of the Tennessee Constitution. *See also,* T.C.A. § 16-3-201. The Court does not have jurisdiction to try cases *de novo. See Simm v. Doughtery,* 186 Tenn. 356, 210 S.W.2d 486 (1948). Furthermore, the Court is not authorized to render advisory opinions. *Leach v. State,* 491 S.W.2d 81 (Tenn. Sup. Ct. 1973).

Matters which may be appealed directly to the Supreme Court from the trial court level are as follows:

(1) The constitutionality of a state law or municipal ordinance which is the sole determinative question of the litigation. T.C.A. § 16-4-108. Note: It has been held that the constitutional question must be substantial and not merely incidental to the determination of the litigation. *See Memphis and Shelby County Bar Association v. Aspero,* 35 Tenn. App. 9, 242 S.W.2d 319 (1950).

(2) The right to hold public office. T.C.A. § 16-4-108. Note: The right itself must be substantially involved and not merely incidental to the determination of the litigation. *See White v. Knight,* 34 Tenn. App. 426, 238 S.W.2d 745 (1950).

(3) Worker's Compensation T.C.A. § 16-4-108. *See also,* T.C.A. § 50-6-225.

(4) State Revenue. T.C.A. § 16-4-108.

(5) *Mandamus.* T.C.A. § 16-4-108.

(6) In the nature of *quo warranto.* T.C.A. § 16-4-108.

(7) Ouster. T.C.A. § 16-4-108.

(8) *Habeas corpus* in cases where the relator is being held under criminal accusation or a rendition warrant issued by the governor of the state. T.C.A. § 16-4-108.

(9) Disciplinary actions involving attorneys. T.C.A. § 23-3-204, Tenn. R. Sup. Ct. 9, Sec. 13.

(10) Death penalty convictions. T.C.A. § 39-2-205.

(11) Injunctions in obscenity actions. T.C.A. § 39-6-1110.

(12) Teacher tenure. T.C.A. § 49-5-513.

(13) Slaughterhouse license revocation. T.C.A. § 53-7-217.

(14) Seizure and condemnation of vending machines and commissaries by the Commissioner of Agriculture. T.C.A. § 53-12-106.

(15) Decisions concerning solid waste disposal. T.C.A. § 68-31-113.

(16) Decisions by beer boards. T.C.A. § 57-5-109.

(17) Medical personnel lab license. T.C.A. § 68-29-128.

(18) Enforcement of tax liens. T.C.A. § 67-5-2420.

(19) Seizure or confiscation of contraband goods under Tobacco Tax Act. T.C.A. § 67-4-1021.

Direct appeals to the Supreme Court in civil cases extend only to the types of cases listed above. However, an appeal by permission may be taken from a final decision of the Court of Appeals or Court of Criminal Appeals to the Supreme Court only on application and in the discretion of the Supreme Court. Tenn. R. App. P. 11.

Supreme Court Caseload Data
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Filings

	Western Section	Middle Section	Eastern Section	Total
Direct Appeals				
Civil	25	32	37	**94**
Criminal	4	4	3	**11**
Total	29	36	40	**105**
Application for Permission to Appeal				
Civil	90	142	147	**379**
Criminal	110	129	147	**386**
Total	200	271	294	**765**
Original Proceedings	0	41	0	**41**
Total	**229**	**348**	**334**	**911**

Dispositions

	Western Section	Middle Section	Eastern Section	Total
By Opinion	33	64	55	**152**
By Order	186	270	258	**714**
Total	**219**	**334**	**313**	**866**

INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURTS

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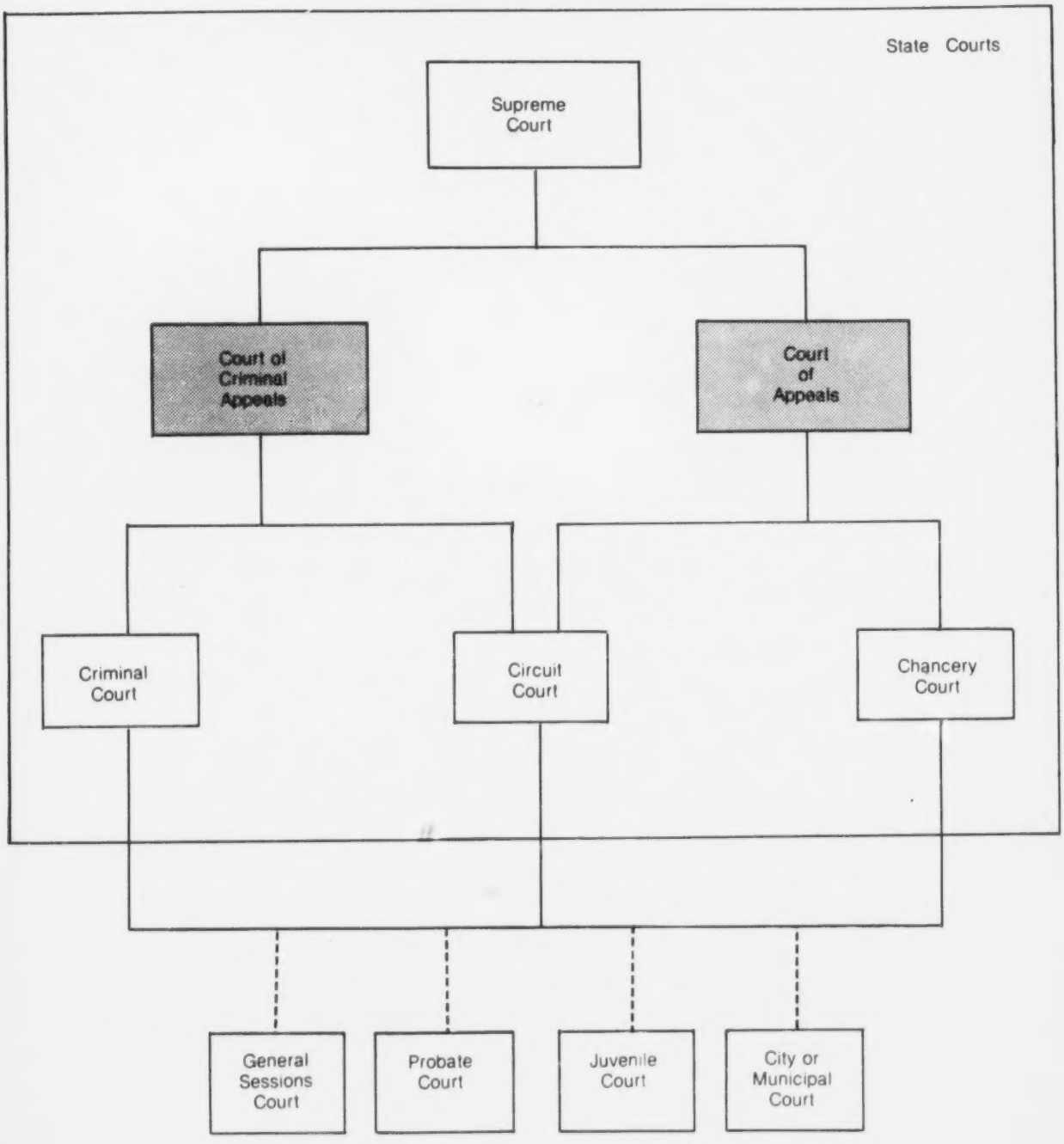

COURT OF APPEALS

Organization

The Court of Chancery Appeals was established by the Legislature in 1895 pursuant to a grant of power contained in Article VI, Section 1 of the Tennessee Constitution. *See* 1895 Tenn. Pub. Acts ch. 76. The Court's name was later changed to the Court of Civil Appeals in 1907 and again changed to its present title of Court of Appeals in 1925. *See* 1907 Tenn. Pub. Acts ch. 82; 1925 Tenn. Pub. Acts ch. 100.

The Court of Appeals consists of 12 judges of whom not more than four may reside in any one grand division of the state. T.C.A. § 16-4-102. The Court of Appeals is empowered to sit in sections of three judges each in Knoxville, Nashville and Jackson and to hear and decide cases as if all 12 members were present. T.C.A. § 16-4-113. When sitting in sections of three judges, the concurrence of two judges is sufficient for a decision. When sitting *en banc,* the concurrence of seven judges is necessary for a decision. When two sections are sitting together, the concurrence of five judges is necessary for a decision. T.C.A. § 16-4-109.

By statute, the Court of Appeals is required to hold term of court at Knoxville on the first Monday in May, at Nashville on the first Monday in September and at Jackson on the first Monday in January. T.C.A. § 16-4-112. The statute additionally provides that the Court may sit in sections concurrently at the places enumerated above without regard to terms for such time as the court determines is necessary for the dispatch of its business, and the presiding judge of the Court of Appeals is empowered to assign and reassign the judges and sections. T.C.A. §§ 16-4-112, 113.

In 1986, the Court of Appeals held sessions during the following months: (1) Eastern Section at Knoxville - January, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November and December, (2) Middle Section at Nashville - January, February, March, April, May, June, July, September, October, and November, and (3) Western Section at Jackson - January, March, April, May, June, July, September, October and November.

Administration

The Court of Appeals is subject to the general rules of practice and procedure prescribed by the Tennessee Supreme Court. T.C.A. § 16-4-110. Additionally, the Court of Appeals may adopt supplementary or additional rules of practice and procedure not in conflict with those promulgated for the Court by the Supreme Court. The Court of Appeals adopted the Rules of the Court of Appeals on October 2, 1967. Note: Any rules inconsistent with the Tennessee Rules of Appellate Procedure which became effective on July 1, 1979, may be superseded by those rules.

The judges of the Court of Appeals choose the presiding judge of the Court at the first meeting of the Court after the regular judicial election. T.C.A. § 16-4-104. The presiding judge is empowered to do the following:

(1) Call meetings of the Court at the request of a majority of the Court's judges to revise its rules of practice. T.C.A. § 16-4-104.

(2) Assign and reassign the judges and sections. T.C.A. § 16-4-113.

(3) Serve as a member of the commission to control the Supreme Court Buildings in Nashville Knoxville, and Jackson. T.C.A. §§ 16-3-701 to 703.

(4) Serve as a member of the State Law Library Commission. T.C.A. § 10-4-101.

When the Court sits in sections, each section chooses a presiding judge from its members. T.C.A. § 16-4-105.

The clerks of the Supreme Court also serve as the clerks of the Court of Appeals. They perform the same duties, are subject to the same liabilities and receive the same compensation as prescribed by law. T.C.A. § 16-4-106.

Selection

The judges of the Court of Appeals are elected pursuant to Tennessee's version of the "Missouri Plan". T.C.A. §§ 17-4-101 to 116. Under this plan, the eleven members of the Appellate Court Nominating Commission are chosen as follows:

(1) Four persons of whom no more than two may be attorneys are appointed by the Governor. T.C.A. § 17-4-102(1).

(2) Three attorneys are elected by referendum of all licensed attorneys, one attorney being from each grand division of the state. T.C.A. § 17-4-102(2).

(3) The speaker of each house of the General Assembly appoints two persons from different political parties. T.C.A. § 17-4-102(3). Note: Because membership on the Appellate Court Nominating Commission is an office or place of trust, members of the General Assembly are ineligible to serve on the Commission during their term of office. *See State ex rel Higgins v. Dunn,* 496 S.W.2d 480 (Sup. Ct. 1973); *Also see* Tenn. Const. art. 2, § 10.

When a vacancy occurs on the Court of Appeals, the Appellate Court Nominating Commission selects three persons from the grand division in which the vacancy exists. T.C.A. § 17-4-109. The Governor then appoints one of the three nominees to fill the vacancy, or in the event the Governor rejects all three nominees, the Commission continues to make nominations in sets of three until an appointment is made. T.C.A. § 17-4-112.

After the Governor has made the appointment, the appointee serves as a judge of the Court of Appeals until the next regular August biennial election (recurring more than thirty days after the vacancy). At this time, the appointed judge stands for election to the unexpired term of the predecessor or for a regular term of eight years, as the case may be. T.C.A. § 17-4-112. In the election, the appointed judge runs unopposed and the electorate votes to retain or not retain the appointed judge. T.C.A. § 17-4-114. If a majority of those voting reject the appointed judge, then a vacancy exists as of September 1, which is filled by nomination and appointment as previously described. T.C.A. §§ 17-4-114 to 116.

Court of Appeals judges must be at least thirty years of age and residents of Tennessee for five years prior to their appointment. T.C.A. § 16-4-102. Judges of the Court of Appeals are required to be learned in the law, which must be evidenced by their being admitted to the practice of law in Tennessee. T.C.A. § 16-4-102. At the end of 1986, members of the Court of Appeals were: Middle Division - Henry F. Todd, Samuel L. Lewis, Ben H. Cantrell, and William Koch; Eastern Division - James W. Parrott, Clifford E. Sanders, Houston Goddard, and Herschel P. Franks; Western Division - Hewitt P. Tomlin, Jr., W. Frank Crawford, Alan E. Highers and David R. Farmer.

Jurisdiction

The jurisdiction of the Court of Appeals is appellate only; it has no original jurisdiction. T.C.A. § 16-4-108; *Doochin v. Rackley*, 610 S.W.2d 715 (Tenn. 1981). The appellate jurisdiction of the Court of Appeals extends to all civil cases *except* those involving the following:

(1) The constitutionality of a statute or city ordinance which is the determinative question in the litigation.

(2) The right to hold public office.

(3) Worker compensation.

(4) State revenue.

(5) *Mandamus.*

(6) In the nature of *quo warranto.*

(7) Ouster.

(8) *Habeas corpus* in cases where the relator is being held under a criminal accusation or a rendition warrant issued by the Governor. T.C.A. § 16-4-108.

In 1977, the General Assembly expanded the appellate jurisdiction of the Court of Appeals to include review of chancery court judgments pertaining to orders of state administrative agencies under the Tennessee Administrative Procedures Act. T.C.A. § 4-5-323. In addition, the Court of Appeals has jurisdiction over appeals from juvenile and circuit courts in paternity cases. T.C.A. § 36-2-114. The Court of Appeals also has jurisdiction over appeals from circuit and chancery courts involving actions of boards and commissions functioning under the laws of Tennessee unless otherwise specifically provided. T.C.A. § 27-9-112.

Procedure

The Tennessee Rules of Appellate Procedure became effective on July 1, 1979. These Rules were drawn under the authority of T.C.A. §§ 16-3-402 to 601 and govern procedure before all the appellate courts in Tennessee including the Court of Appeals. *See* Tenn. R. App. P. 1 (Advisory Commission Comment).

Under the Rules, there are two principal devices which may be used to obtain review in the Court of Appeals: (1) Appeal as of Right and (2) Appeal by Permission. Under Rule 3, an appeal as of right may be obtained in the Court of Appeals in all civil actions where final judgment is entered in a trial court from which an appeal lies to the Court of Appeals. Appeal by permission may be granted in the following cases: (1) Interlocutory Appeal by Permission from the Trial Court - Under Rule 9, an appeal by permission may be taken from an interlocutory order of a trial court from which an appeal lies to the Court of Appeals only upon application and in the discretion of the trial and appellate court except as provided in Rule 10; and (2) Extraordinary Appeal by Permission on Original Application in the Appellate Court - Under Rule 10, an extraordinary appeal may be sought on application and in the discretion of the Court of Appeals alone of interlocutory orders of a lower court from which an appeal lies to the Court of Appeals: (a) if the lower court has so far departed from the accepted and usual course of judicial proceedings as to require immediate review or (b) if necessary for complete determination of the action on appeal as otherwise provided in the Rules.

Court of Appeals Caseload Data
Calendar Year 1986

Filings

Court of Origin	Western Section	Middle Section	Eastern Section	Total
Circuit	160	169	180	**509**
Chancery	157	205	229	**591**
Law & Equity	8	1	10	**19**
General Sessions	9	2	1	**12**
Juvenile	8	2	5	**15**
Probate	7	11	0	**18**
Boards and Commissions	4	2	3	**9**
Total	**353**	**392**	**428**	**1173**

Dispositions by Type

Action	Western Section	Middle Section	Eastern Section	Total
Affirmed	137	22	199	**358**
Reversed	24	0	10	**34**
Reversed & Remanded	61	73	50	**184**
Affirmed—Reversed in Part	13	1	3	**17**
Affirmed—Reversed in Part & Dismissed	1	0	0	**1**
Affirmed—Reversed in Part & Remanded	16	18	9	**43**
Reversed & Dismissed	17	9	14	**40**
Remanded	1	21	9	**31**
Modified & Affirmed	10	5	19	**34**
Affirmed & Remanded	27	148	65	**240**
Modified & Remanded	3	5	10	**18**
Affirmed & Dismissed	0	0	0	**0**
Opinion Denying Petition to Rehear	9	9	27	**45**
Opinion of Dismissal	1	2	14	**17**
Opinion Rejecting Appeal	0	0	0	**0**
Opinion - Other	0	2	3	**5**
Order of Dismissal	73	71	47	**191**
Order of Transfer	2	9	9	**20**
Order Denying Petition to Rehear	18	19	6	**43**
Order of Remand	1	2	3	**6**
Order - Other	0	3	0	**3**
Total	**414**	**419**[1]	**497**[2]	**1330**
Concurring Opinions	4	9	3	16
Dissenting Opinions	4	5	15	24

[1]Of this total, 25 opinions were written by a Western Section Panel.
[2]Of this total, 50 opinions were written by a Western Section Panel and 1 opinion was written by a Middle Section Panel.

Rule 9 & 10 Application for Permission to Appeal Filings & Dispositions

Action	Western Section	Middle Section	Eastern Section	Total
Granted	5	9	4	**18**
Denied	13	23	20	**56**
Other	0	0	0	**0**
Totals	**18**	**32**	**24**	**74**

COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

Organization

The Court of Criminal Appeals was established by the Legislature in 1967 pursuant to a grant of power contained in Article VI, Section 1 of the Tennessee Constitution. *See* 1967 Tenn. Pub. Acts ch. 226. Originally, the size of the Court was set at seven members. A legislative act increased the membership to nine in 1976. 1976 Tenn. Pub. Acts ch. 636. No more than three judges can reside in any one of the state's three grand divisions. T.C.A. § 16-5-102. The Court may sit *en banc* or in panels of three, five or seven judges; the concurrence of a majority of judges sitting is necessary for a decision. T.C.A. § 16-5-107.

The Court of Criminal Appeals is required to sit at Knoxville, Nashville and Jackson for the purpose of hearing and deciding cases and such other matters as may come before it. T.C.A. § 16-5-107. By statute, the Court of Criminal Appeals is required to hold terms of court at Knoxville on the fourth Monday in June, at Nashville on the third Monday in February and at Jackson on the second Monday in October. T.C.A. § 16-5-107. The statute also provides that the Court may sit at the above-mentioned places without reference to terms, for the purpose of hearing and deciding cases and other matters before it, and for such time as may in the judgment of the Court be necessary or required for the prompt and orderly dispatch of the business before the Court. T.C.A. § 16-5-107.

In 1986, the Court of Criminal Appeals held sessions during the following months: (1) Eastern Section at Knoxville - January, February, March, April, May, August, September, October and November, (2) Middle Section at Nashville - January, February, April, May, June, September, October, November and December, and (3) Western Section at Jackson - January, February, March, April, May, June, September, October, November and December.

Administration

The Court of Criminal Appeals is subject to the general rules of practice and procedure prescribed by the Tennessee Supreme Court. T.C.A. § 16-3-402. Additionally, the Court of Criminal Appeals has the authority to adopt and promulgate its own rules of practice, and such rules may be revised from time to time as the Court deems advisable and proper. In 1967, the Court by resolution adopted the Rules of Appellate Practice of the Supreme Court of Tennessee as the Rules of Practice of the Court of Criminal Appeals. Supplemental rules were put into effect on June 1, 1976. Note: Any rules inconsistent with the Tennessee Rules of Appellate Procedure which became effective July 1, 1979, may be superseded by those rules.

The judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals choose the presiding judge of the Court at the first meeting of the Court after the regular judicial election. T.C.A. § 16-5-106. The presiding judge is empowered to do the following:

(1) Call special meetings of the Court at the request of a majority of the members for the purpose of revising or reconsidering its rules of practice or for any other purpose that may be desired. T.C.A. § 16-5-106.

(2) Assign judges to panels. T.C.A. § 16-5-107.

(3) Designate the times and places for the sitting of each panel. T.C.A. § 16-5-107.

The clerks of the Supreme Court also serve as the clerks of the Court of Criminal Appeals. They perform the same duties and are subject to the same liabilities and receive the same compensation as prescribed by law. T.C.A. § 16-5-109.

Selection

The judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals are elected pursuant to Tennessee's version of the "Missouri Plan". T.C.A. §§ 17-4-101 to 116. Under this plan, the eleven members of the Appellate Court Nominating Commission are chosen as follows:

(1) Four persons of whom no more than two may be attorneys are appointed by the Governor. T.C.A. § 17-4-102(1).

(2) Three attorneys are elected by referendum of all licensed attorneys, one attorney being from each grand division of the state. T.C.A. § 17-4-102(2).

(3) The speaker of each house of the General Assembly appoints two persons from different political parties. T.C.A. § 17-4-102(3). Note: Because membership on the Appellate Court Nominating Commission is an office or place of trust, members of the General Assembly are ineligible to serve on the Commission during their term of office. *See State ex rel Higgins v. Dunn* 496 S.W.2d 480 (Sup. Ct. 1973); *Also see* Tenn. Const. art. II, § 10.

When a vacancy occurs on the Court of Criminal Appeals, the Appellate Court Nominating Commission selects three persons from the grand division in which the vacancy exists. T.C.A. § 17-4-109. The Governor then appoints one of the three nominees to fill the vacancy, or in the event that the Governor rejects all three nominees, the Commission continues to make

nominations in sets of three until an appointment is made. T.C.A. § 17-4-112.

After the Governor has made the appointment, the appointee serves as a judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals until the next regular August biennial election (recurring more than thirty days after the vacancy). At this time the appointed judge stands for election to the unexpired term of the predecessor or for a regular term of eight years as the case may be. T.C.A. § 17-4-112. In the election, the appointed judge runs unopposed and the electorate votes to retain or not retain the appointed judge. T.C.A. § 17-4-114. If a majority of those voting reject the appointed judge, then a vacancy exists as of September 1, which is filled by nomination and appointment as previously described. T.C.A. §§ 17-4-114 to 116.

Court of Criminal Appeals judges must be at least thirty years of age and residents of Tennessee for five years prior to their appointment. T.C.A. § 16-5-102. Judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals are required to be learned in the law, which must be evidenced by their being admitted to the practice of law in Tennessee. T.C.A. § 16-5-102. In 1986, members of the Court of Criminal Appeals were: Western Division - Mark A. Walker, Robert K. Dwyer and Joseph B. Jones, Middle Division - Martha Craig Daughtrey, Allen R. Cornelius, Jr. and Jerry Scott and Eastern Division - Charles H. O'Brien, Joe D. Duncan and John K. Byers.

Jurisdiction

The jurisdiction of the Court of Criminal Appeals is appellate only; it has no original jurisdiction. T.C.A. § 16-5-108. The jurisdiction of the Court of Criminal Appeals extends to review of final judgments of trial courts in the following cases:

(1) Criminal cases, both felony and misdemeanor. T.C.A. § 16-5-108.

(2) *Habeas corpus* and post-conviction proceedings attacking the validity of a final judgment of conviction or the sentence in a criminal case, and other cases or proceedings instituted with reference to or arising out of a criminal case. T.C.A. § 16-5-108.

(3) Criminal contempt proceedings. T.C.A. § 16-5-108.

(4) Extradition cases. T.C.A. § 16-5-108.

The Court does not have jurisdiction over any case where the sole and single question for determination involves the constitutionality of a state statute or municipal ordiance. T.C.A. § 16-5-108.

Direct appeals to the Supreme Court in criminal cases extend only to the types of cases expressly set forth by statute. However, an appeal by permission may be taken from a final decision of the Court of Criminal Appeals to the Supreme Court on application and in the discretion of the Supreme Court. Tenn. R. App. P. 11.

Procedure

The Tennessee Rules of Appellate Procedure became effective on July 1, 1979. These Rules were drawn under the authority of T.C.A. §§ 16-3-402 to 601 and govern procedure before all the appellate courts including the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Under the Rules, there are two principal devices which may be used to obtain review in the Court of Criminal Appeals: (1) Appeal as of Right, and (2) Appeal by Permission.

Under Rule 3, an appeal as of right may be obtained in the following cases: (1) Appeal as of Right by Defendant in Criminal Actions - In criminal actions, an appeal as of right by the defendant lies from judgment of conviction entered by the trial court from which an appeal lies to the Court of Criminal Appeals: (a) on a plea of not guilty, and (b) on a plea of guilty or *nolo contendere* under certain circumstances set forth in Rule 3. (2) Appeal as of Right by the State in Criminal Actions - In criminal actions, an appeal as of right by the state lies only from an order or judgment entered by a trial court from which an appeal lies to the Court of Criminal Appeals: (a) the substantive effect of which results in dismissing an indictment, information or complaint, (b) setting aside a verdict of guilty and entering a judgment of acquittal, (c) arresting judgment, (d) granting or refusing to revoke probation, (e) remanding a child to juvenile court, (f) involving a *habeas corpus* proceeding, (g) involving an extradition proceeding, or (h) involving a post-conviction relief proceeding.

Appeal by permission may be granted in the following cases: (1) Interlocutory Appeal by Permission from the Trial Court--Under Rule 9, an appeal by permission may be taken from an interlocutory order of a trial court from which an appeal lies to the Court of Criminal Appeals only upon application and in the discretion of the trial and appellate court except as provided in Rule 10, (2) Extraordinary Appeal by Permission on Original Application in the Appellate Court--Under Rule 10, an extraordinary appeal may be sought on application and in the discretion of the appellate court alone of interlocutory orders of a lower court from which an appeal lies to the Court of Criminal Appeals: (a) if the lower court has so far departed from the accepted and usual course of judicial proceedings as to require immediate review, or (b) if necessary for complete determination of the action on appeal as otherwise provided in the Rules.

Court of Criminal Appeals Caseload Data
Calendar Year 1986

Filings

Court of Origin	Western Section	Middle Section	Eastern Section	Total
Criminal	145	195	297	**637**
Circuit	10	98	34	**142**
Chancery	0	0	0	**0**
Circuit/Criminal	104	0	0	**104**
Probate	0	1	0	**1**
Juvenile	1	0	0	**1**
Total	**260**	**294**	**331**	**885**

Dispositions by Type

Action	Western Section	Middle Section	Eastern Section	Total
Affirmed	198	195	240	**633**
Reversed	0	1	3	**4**
Reversed & Remanded	9	18	10	**37**
Affirmed—Reversed in Part	0	1	1	**2**
Affirmed—Reversed in Part & Dismissed	7	2	9	**18**
Affirmed—Reversed in Part & Remanded	0	5	3	**8**
Reversed & Dismissed	5	2	4	**11**
Remanded	5	5	6	**16**
Modified & Affirmed	13	15	26	**54**
Affirmed & Remanded	2	32	4	**38**
Vacated & Reentered	1	1	0	**2**
Opinion Denying Petition to Rehear	4	5	3	**12**
Opinion of Dismissal	5	3	2	**10**
Opinion - Other	1	3	0	**4**
Order of Dismissal	21	23	35	**79**
Order of Transfer	0	2	2	**4**
Order of Remand	0	2	1	**3**
Order - Other	0	5	6	**11**
Total	**271**	**320**	**355**	**946**
Concurring Opinions	5	12	5	22
Dissenting Opinions	4	1	8	13

STATE TRIAL COURTS

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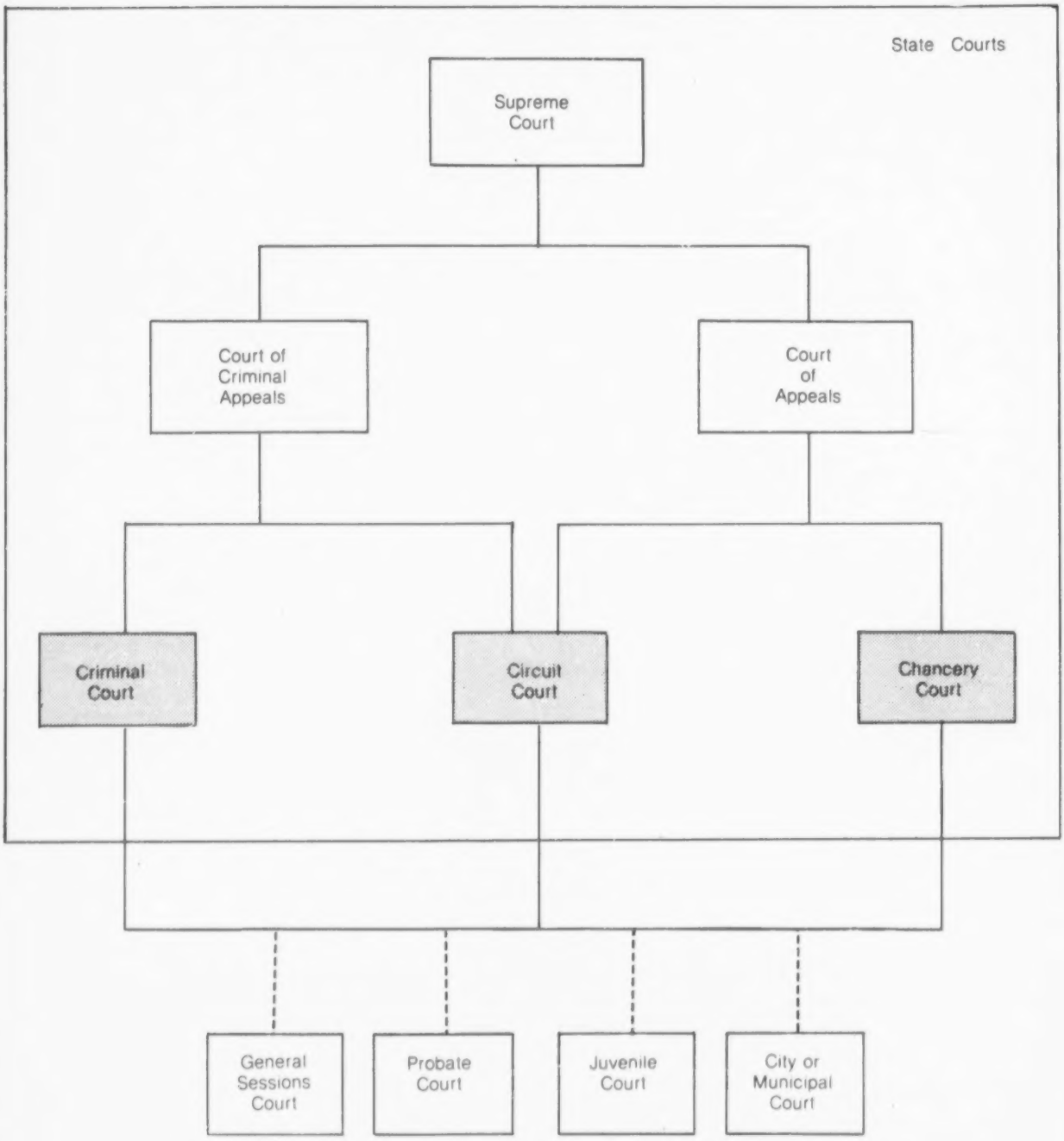

STATE TRIAL COURTS

Organization

The State of Tennessee is divided into thirty-one judicial districts. T.C.A. § 16-2-506. The 1984 redistricting bill passed by the General Assembly had as its express purpose the reorganization of the existing trial court system in such a way that the growth of the courts would occur in a logical and orderly manner. Within each judicial district there are both circuit and chancery courts. Many of the judicial districts also have criminal courts. In order to facilitate the handling of cases, any judge or chancellor may exercise by interchange, appointment, or designation the jurisdiction of any trial court other than that to which the judge or chancellor was elected or appointed. T.C.A. § 16-2-502. Further, each judicial district except the Fourteenth Judicial District has a presiding judge whose duty it is to assign cases in such a way as to reduce delays, distribute the workload equitably, and promote the orderly and efficient administration of justice. T.C.A. § 16-2-509. See also Op. Atty. Gen., August 16, 1985. The judges of each district also have the responsibility to promulgate uniform rules of practice for that district. T.C.A. § 16-2-511. A list of the presiding judges and a copy of the local rules for each district is maintained by the Office of the Executive Secretary.

The minutes of all courts remain open continuously. Court is held within each judicial district at such times and on such dates as the judges of that district fix by rule. Court is held within each county of the district as often as is necessary to dispose of the business of the court.

Administration of Trial Courts

The Supreme Court has certain supervisory powers with regard to the circuit courts, criminal courts, and chancery courts, including but not limited to, the following:

(1) To designate and assign temporarily any judge or chancellor to hold, or sit as a member of any court, of comparable dignity or equal or higher level, for any good and sufficient reason. T.C.A. § 16-3-502.

(2) To maintain a roster of retired judges who are willing and able to undertake special duties and to designate or assign them appropriate judicial duties. T.C.A. § 16-3-502.

(3) To require the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court to monitor the dockets of the courts. T.C.A. § 16-3-502.

(4) To take affirmative and appropriate action to correct or alleviate any caseload imbalance. T.C.A. § 16-3-502.

(5) To alleviate any condition adversely affecting the administration of justice. T.C.A. § 16-3-502.

(6) To take all such other action as may be necessary to the orderly administration of justice within the state. T.C.A. § 16-3-502.

(7) To adopt, upon the recommendation of its Executive Secretary, an annual plan providing for the orientation of newly elected or appointed judges of trial or appellate courts of record and for the appropriate continuing legal education and training of such judges. T.C.A. § 16-3-502.

Selection of Judges and Chancellors

Article 6, Section 4 of the Tennessee Constitution provides that the judges of the circuit and chancery courts shall be elected for a term of eight years by the voters of the district or circuit to which they are assigned.

A judge must be at least thirty years of age, a resident of the State for five years, and a resident of the circuit or district for one year. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 4. Furthermore, a judge must be authorized to practice law in the courts in Tennessee and must meet the general standards of eligibility to hold any public office as prescribed by statute. T.C.A. §§ 17-1-106; 8-18-101.

Clerks of Court

Circuit Court Clerk

The principal administration aide to the circuit court is the circuit court clerk. The clerk provides assistance in the areas of courtroom administration and records management, docket maintenance, revenue management, maintenance of court minutes, official communication and various other court-associated duties. T.C.A. §§ 18-1-101 to 18-4-102. The circuit court clerks are elected for a four-year term. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 13; T.C.A. § 18-3-101. There is one circuit court clerk in each county.

Clerk and Master

The principal administrative aid to the chancery court is the clerk and master. The clerk provides assistance in the areas of courtroom administration and records management, docket maintenance, revenue management, maintenance of court minutes, official communication and various other court-associated duties. T.C.A. §§ 18-1-101 to 109. The clerks and master are appointed by the chancellor for a six-year term. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 13.

Clerk of Criminal Court

In the majority of the criminal courts, the circuit court clerks of the counties perform the duties of the clerk of the criminal courts. In the criminal courts of the sixth, eleventh, twentieth, and thirtieth judicial districts, there is a separate office of clerk of the criminal court.

Jurisdiction of Trial Courts

Jurisdiction of Circuit Court

Article 6, Section 1 of the Tennessee Constitution grants the Legislature the power to establish circuit courts. The Legislature may abolish a particular circuit court without violating the Constitution. *State ex. rel. Coleman v. Campbell,* 3 Shannon's Cases 355 (1875). However, the Legislature does not have the power to deprive citizens of access to a circuit court. The Legislature is vested with the power to increase or diminish the jurisdiction of the circuit courts. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 8.

The circuit court has general jurisdiction in all cases where jurisdiction is not conferred on another tribunal. T.C.A. § 16-10-101. The circuit court may hear and determine suits of an equitable nature, where there is no objection, or the court may transfer such cases to the chancery court. If the circuit court chooses to hear an equity case, it must determine the case upon the principles of a court of equity, and may exercise the powers of a court of equity including the power to order an accounting. T.C.A. § 16-10-111; *Gilley v. Jernigan,* 597 S.W.2d 313.

The circuit court has exclusive original jurisdiction in the following cases:

(1) Cases in which the validity of a will is contested. T.C.A. § 16-10-103.

(2) Suits to correct mistakes in deeds of conveyance of land, or registration thereof. T.C.A. § 66-5-107.

(3) Applications to restore citizenship by persons who have been rendered infamous by judgments of any court in the state. T.C.A. §§ 16-10-104; 40-29-101.

(4) All matters relating to the seizure and destruction of intoxicating liquor if the circuit court has jurisdiction in a particular county over offenses against the liquor laws of the state. T.C.A. § 57-9-105.

(5) Eminent domain cases and *in rem* eminent domain cases brought by the state, county or United States. T.C.A. §§ 29-16-104; 29-17-601.

(6) Motions to impose a forfeiture of $500.00 upon the county trustee for certain breaches of duty and to impose liability of the trustee and the trustee's surety for such breach of duty. T.C.A. §§ 8-11-106 to 108.

(7) *Writs of mandamus* to enforce the performance of any duty made incumbent by law upon the county. T.C.A. § 5-1-107.

(8) Suits to condemn land for nonpayment of taxes where personal property cannot be found to satisfy the distress warrant and the sheriff has levied upon the real estate. T.C.A. §§ 67-4-110(c); 67-4-215(b).

(9) Motions to proceed against any tax collector or other officer of the State who fails to collect taxes, who fails to pay over taxes received by him or who commits any act of neglect, misprison, misfeasance, or malfeasance in office. T.C.A. §§ 67-1-1602(b); 67-1-1623(a).

(10) Suits brought under the Governmental Tort Liability Act. T.C.A. § 29-15-102.

(11) Petitions by the circuit court clerk and by the sheriff in counties without a separate criminal court requesting authority to hire deputies or assistants. T.C.A. § 8-20-101.

The circuit court has appellate jurisdiction of all suits and actions, of whatsoever nature, unless otherwise provided, instituted before any inferior jurisdiction, whether brought by appeal, certiorari, or in any other manner prescribed by law. T.C.A. § 16-10-112. An appeal in the form of a trial *de novo* may be taken to circuit court from the judgment of general sessions court, recorder or other officer of the municipality and city judge. T.C.A. §§ 27-5-108 (general sessions court); 27-5-101, -102 (recorder); and 6-21-508 (city judge).

Jurisdiction of Chancery Court

By constitutional provision, the jurisdiction of chancery courts of Tennessee is determined by statute and may be increased, decreased or altered by the Legislature. Tenn. Const. art. VI, § 8; *See, e.g., Moore v. Love,* 171 Tenn. 682, 107 S.W.2d 982 (1937).

The statutes provide that the chancery courts of Tennessee "shall have all the powers, privileges and jurisdiction properly and rightfully incident to a court of equity." T.C.A. § 16-11-101. This grant of jurisdiction is generally referred to as the inherent jurisdiction of chancery courts and consists of the jurisdiction which existed in the High Court of Chancery in England. This jurisdiction was adopted by North Carolina and, in turn, was adopted by Tennessee upon its formation as a state and its adoption of the laws of North Carolina. *J.W. Kelly & Co. v. Conner,* 122 Tenn. 339, 123 S.W. 622 (1909). This inherent jurisdiction is original and exclusive in cases of an equitable nature where the debt or demand exceeds fifty dollars. The chancery court is without jurisdiction in such cases where the debt or demand is less than fifty dollars. T.C.A. § 16-11-103.

The types of cases over which chancery courts exercise inherent jurisdiction are set out in detail in *Gibson's Suits in Chancery,* and include the following:

(1) All suits resulting from accidents and mistakes.

(2) All suits resulting from frauds, actual and constructive.

(3) All suits resulting from trusts, express, constructive and resulting.

(4) All suits for the specific performance of contracts.

(5) All suits for the reformation, re-execution, rescission and surrender of written instruments.

(6) All suits for an accounting, and for surcharging and falsifying accounts.

(7) All suits between partners, and to wind up an insolvent partnership.

(8) All suits for the administration and marshaling of assets.

(9) All suits for subrogation and substitution.

(10) All suits for the enforcement of liens created by mortgages, deeds of trust, sales of land on credit, or other equitable considerations.

(11) All suits against minors in reference to their estates, not cognizable at law.

(12) All suits by wards against guardians, executors, administrators and others, where an accounting or surcharging or falsifying an account, is necessary.

(13) All suits for an apportionment and contribution.

(14) All suits for the marshaling of securities.

(15) All suits for relief against forfeitures and penalties.

(16) All suits for the redemption of land or other property.

(17) All suits to have absolute deeds or bills of sale declared to be mortgages.

(18) All suits for the construction and enforcement of wills and trusts.

(19) All suits to obtain a set-off against a judgment in favor of a nonresident or insolvent.

(20) All suits for the discovery and perpetuation of testimony.

(21) All suits to compel claimants to interplead.

(22) All suits for equitable attachments and receivers.

(23) All suits where a *ne exeat republica* is sought.

(24) All suits where an injunction is a substantial part of the relief sought.

(25) All suits to remove clouds and quiet titles.

(26) All suits for the establishment and execution of charities.

(27) All suits for a new trial after a judgment at law.

(28) All suits to have void judgments so declared, and to avoid voidable judgments.

(29) All suits to execute decrees, and to impeach decrees and judgments.

(30) All suits to prevent the doing of an illegal or inequitable act to the injury of complainant's property rights, or interests, *quia timet.*

(31) All suits for the exoneration or protection of sureties.

(32) All other suits where the defendant has done, or is doing, or is threatening to do, some inequitable act to the injury of the complainant, and there is no adequate remedy therefor in any other court. 1 Gibson's Suits in Chancery Sec. 29 (6th ed. 1982).

Although this inherent jurisdiction of chancery court is exclusive, if no objection to jurisdiction is made, a circuit court may hear and determine such suits or may transfer the suit to chancery court. T.C.A. § 16-10-111.

The jurisdiction of the chancery courts has been increased by statutes covering specific actions. These statutes provide that chancery courts have exclusive jurisdiction over the following suits:

(1) To aid judgment creditors to subject a debtor's property to the satisfaction of the judgment where the property cannot be reached by execution. T.C.A. §§ 16-11-104; 26-4-101.

(2) To decide all disputes between the State and corporations, their stockholders or creditors. T.C.A. § 16-11-105.

(3) To subject the property of corporations, when the corporate franchises are not used or have been granted to others, to the payment of their debts. T.C.A. § 29-12-107.

(4) To decide all cases wherein a boundary line dispute is involved. T.C.A. § 16-11-106(a).

(5) To enforce foreign judgments against the property of a nonresident debtor when the judgment creditor has exhausted his legal remedies. T.C.A. § 16-11-107.

(6) To sell the property of those under a disability when manifestly in their best interest for support, maintenance or education. T.C.A. §§ 34-606 to 621.

(7) To sell, partition, and reinvest the property of lunatics, when in their manifest best interest. T.C.A. §§ 34-622 to 625.

(8) To administer the distribution of estates where there are difficulties, complexities, or conflicting claims. T.C.A. § 30-1313.

(9) To enjoin violation of the Biological Residue Law without regard as to whether there is an adequate remedy at law. T.C.A. § 53-7-307.

(10) To enjoin violation of the Tennessee Commercial Fertilizer Law. T.C.A. § 43-11-122.

(11) To set aside fraudulent conveyances which hinder creditors and to subject such property of

debtors to the satisfaction of their debts. T.C.A. § 29-12-101.

(12) To entertain all creditors' bills for the subjection of a debtor's property where the legal remedies are inadequate. T.C.A. § 29-12-109.

(13) To enjoin unfair trade practices in violation of the Dairy Law of Tennessee. T.C.A. § 53-3-203.

(14) To grant injunctions to prevent any violation of the Emergency Medical Services Law. T.C.A. § 68-39-208.

(15) To enjoin unfair trade practices in violation of the Frozen Dessert Law. T.C.A. § 53-3-307(b)(3).

(16) To enjoin violation of the Tennessee Garbage Feeding Law. T.C.A. § 44-5-108.

(17) To issue injunctions to compel compliance with the provisions of the Motor Carriers Law and with the orders of the Public Service Commission thereunder. T.C.A. § 65-15-121.

(18) To enjoin violation of the Tennessee Medical Laboratories Act. T.C.A. § 68-29-131.

(19) To enjoin violation of the Public Water Supply and Sewer System Law and orders issued by the Commissioner of Public Health pursuant thereto. T.C.A. § 68-13-106.

(20) To grant mandatory injunctions to enforce the right of the Commissioner of Revenue to examine the records of carriers under the Retail Sales Tax Law. T.C.A. § 67-6-523.

(21) To try election contests unless it is expressly provided otherwise by statute. T.C.A. § 2-17-101.

(22) To enjoin violation of the Contractor's Licensing Law. T.C.A. § 62-6-122.

(23) To revoke the charters, suspend the registrations of, and appoint receivers for the improvement and care of trust funds of cemeteries. T.C.A. §§ 46-2-308; 46-3-110.

(24) To approve accounting of common trust funds. T.C.A. § 35-403.

(25) To hear petitions to take a child from an orphan asylum. T.C.A. § 14-11-109.

(26) To declare escheats. T.C.A. § 31-809.

(27) To probate wills and administer estates. T.C.A. § 16-16-201.

(28) To seek a restraining order or an injunction against the violation of the Radiological Health Service Act. T.C.A. § 68-23-213.

(29) To review contested cases under the Tennessee Administrative Procedure Act. T.C.A. § 4-5-322.

Jurisdiction of Criminal Court

The circuit courts are vested with "exclusive original jurisdiction of all crimes and misdemeanors, either at common law or by statute, unless otherwise expressly provided by statue..." T.C.A. § 16-10-102. The criminal and circuit courts have "original jurisdiction of all criminal matters not exclusively conferred by law on some other tribunal." T.C.A. § 40-1-108.

In addition to their original jurisdiction over crimes and misdemeanors, the criminal courts are vested with original jurisdiction over special crime-related matters and over a variety of non-criminal matters. The criminal courts have jurisdiction over all matters relating to the seizure and destruction of intoxicating liquors when an offense against the liquor laws of the state has been committed. T.C.A. § 57-9-105. Judges of the criminal courts are given the power of magistrates (T.C.A. § 40-5-102) and therefore have jurisdiction to issue warrants for the arrest of a person charged with a public offense. T.C.A. § 40-5-101.

The circuit courts are vested with appellate jurisdiction over all criminal suits and actions which are originally tried in inferior courts "whether brought by application for permission to appeal or in any other manner prescribed by law," unless otherwise provided. T.C.A. § 16-10-112. The criminal courts that have been created are vested with jurisdiction over all criminal matters arising in their counties, which includes appellate jurisdiction over actions tried in inferior courts.

Another type of appellate jurisdiction vested in the criminal courts is the post-conviction procedure. T.C.A. § 40-30-103. A defendant who has been convicted and is serving a prison term may, after exhaustion of appellate remedies or passage of time for appeal, petition for post-conviction relief in the court where the conviction occurred. T.C.A.§§ 40-30-102, -103. A judge of the criminal court, a circuit judge or a chancellor, other than the original trial judge, will be designated to hear and determine the petition, with the exception that when an issue as to competency of counsel is raised, the original trial judge should be used, if he/she is available. T.C.A. § 40-30-103.

Concurrent Jurisdiction of Circuit and Chancery Courts

Various statutes provide for the concurrent jurisdiction of the circuit and chancery courts. These areas of concurrent jurisdiction include the following:

(1) Suits brought for usurpation of office under Usurpation of Office or Franchise Act. T.C.A. § 29-35-111.

(2) Petitions for the condemnation of adulterated or misbranded goods under the Tennessee Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act T.C.A. § 53-1-202.

(3) Suits seeking injunctive relief against violators of the Liquified Petroleum Safety Act. T.C.A. § 68-26-111.

(4) Petitions for an order requiring an accused violator of the Dairy Law to appear and produce evidence in compliance with a subpoena. T.C.A. § 53-3-108.

(5) Petitions for an order assuring compliance with the audit requirements of the Metropolitan Hospital Authority Act. T.C.A. § 7-57-404.

(6) Suits seeking to obtain divorce, to authorize adoptions, to release trustees, to appoint replacements for released or dead trustees, and upon petition of a trustee, to issue a decree for the sale of real or personal property. T.C.A. §§ 16-10-108; 16-11-110.

(7) Suits seeking to abate nuisances in an action seeking to recover damages caused by the nuisance. T.C.A. § 16-10-110.

(8) Suits to enter judgment on an award of an arbitrator and to hear and determine agreed cases. T.C.A. §§ 16-10-105; 16-11-112.

(9) Suits seeking the declaration of an abandoned child, but only in an adoption proceeding or in a proceeding brought for the purpose of rendering a child available for adoption. T.C.A. § 36-1-110; *See also St. Peters Orphan Asylum Ass'n v. Riley,* 43 Tenn. App. 683, 311 S.W.2d 336 (1957).

(10) Suits to remove road commissioners for cause. T.C.A. § 54-9-121.

(11) Suits seeking an order requiring compliance with a subpoena issued by the Commissioner of Agriculture in the Enforcement of the Frozen Dessert Law. T.C.A. § 53-3-307.

(12) Suits to remove the disability of a minor to sell or convey real or personal property. T.C.A. § 29-31-101.

(13) Petitions to enjoin the unlawful practice of podiatry. T.C.A. § 63-3-121.

(14) Paternity suits where a jury trial is demanded by the defendant. T.C.A. § 36-2-106 (1984).

(15) Suits to appoint receivers in vacation. T.C.A. § 17-1-205.

(16) Suits for delinquent land taxes due the state, county or municipality. T.C.A. § 67-5-2405.

(17) Suits to enjoin the unlawful practice of chiropractice. T.C.A. § 63-4-116.

(18) Suits to enjoin the unlawful practice of nursing. T.C.A. § 63-7-122.

(19) Suits to legitimate children. T.C.A. § 16-10-107.

(20) Suits to change and alter names of persons. T.C.A. § 16-10-107.

(21) Suits for the abatement and recovery of usury. T.C.A. § 47-14-115.

(22) Suits to enter judgment upon an award made by an arbitrator and to appoint arbitrators, upon the agreement of the parties thereto. T.C.A. §§ 29-4-101; 16-11-112.

(23) Suits for the abatement of various public nuisances. T.C.A. § 29-3-102.

(24) Suits to enforce statutory liens. *See, e.g.,* T.C.A. §§ 66-11-101 to 66-21-101. Justices of the peace and general sessions courts may also have concurrent jurisdiction over many of these liens.

(25) Suits to recover personal property and damages incidental thereto. T.C.A. § 29-30-103. General sessions courts also have concurrent jurisdiction.

(26) Suits under the Declaratory Judgment Act. T.C.A. § 29-14-102.

(27) Suits for *habeas corpus* in cases of equitable cognizance. T.C.A. § 29-21-103. (This may also be before the criminal courts.)

(28) Suits for *mandamus.* T.C.A. § 29-25-101.

(29) Suits to approve the compromise of personal injury claims for infants and insane persons. T.C.A. § 34-3-113.

(30) Suits to abate the nuisances of selling soft drinks containing alcohol. (Jurisdiction is also conferred upon the criminal courts in such cases.) T.C.A. § 57-8-107.

(31) The partition of land among those entitled. T.C.A. §§ 16-10-109, 16-11-111.

(32) The sale of land to satisfy the debts of a decedent whose personalty is inadequate. T.C.A. §§ 16-10-109; 16-11-111.

(33) The sale of land to satisfy the debts of a decedent by personal representatives, guardians, heirs, or tenants in common. T.C.A. §§ 16-10-109; 16-11-111.

(34) The allotment of homestead. T.C.A. § 30-2-202.

(35) The acceptance of the resignation of trustees and actions to remove and replace trustees, testamentary or otherwise. T.C.A. § 35-1-101.

(36) Actions to condemn easements to private roads where there are no other adequate and convenient means of ingress and egress. T.C.A. § 54-14-102.

(37) Petitions to condemn property to provide an easement of egress and ingress to land that is without access to any public road. T.C.A. § 54-14-102.

In addition to the specific statutory grants of concurrent jurisdiction enumerated above, the jurisdiction of chancery courts has been expanded by a general jurisdictional statute which provides that the chancery courts have concurrent jurisdiction with the courts "of all civil cases of action, triable in circuit courts, except for unliquidated damages for injuries to person or character, and except for unliquidated damages for injuries to property not resulting from a breach or oral or written contract. . ." *See* T.C.A. § 16-11-102.

Concurrent Jurisdiction of Circuit and Criminal Courts

The circuit and criminal courts have concurrent original jurisdiction in the following cases:

(1) Suits to restrain or enjoin violations of the Tennessee Drug Control Act. T.C.A. § 53-11-407.

(2) Proceedings seeking an order to disinter a body for the purpose of performing an autopsy. T.C.A. § 38-7-107.

(3) Proceedings seeking an order to transfer a prisoner to a sufficient jail. T.C.A. § 41-4-121(c).

(4) Proceedings under the Reciprocal Enforcement Support Act. T.C.A. § 36-5-209.

(5) All criminal matters not exclusively conferred by law on some other tribunal except those cases exclusively within the jurisdiction of the Courts of the United States. T.C.A. § 40-1-108.

(6) Giving judgments on motions in favor of a surety against principals upon rendered judgments. T.C.A. § 25-3-130.

Concurrent Jurisdiction of Circuit, Chancery, and Criminal Courts

The circuit, chancery, and criminal courts have concurrent original jurisdiction in the following cases:

(1) Suits to abate public nuisances as defined in T.C.A. § 29-3-101.

(2) Suits to remove public officers for cause. T.C.A. § 8-47-103.

(3) Suits to abate the public nuisance of selling soft drinks containing alcohol. T.C.A. § 57-8-107(a).

(4) Worker compensation cases and suits seeking approval of a worker compensation settlement. T.C.A. §§ 50-6-206; 50-6-225(c).

(5) Appointment of receivers for property in litigation before the court in like manner as receivers are appointed by courts of chancery. T.C.A. § 29-1-103.

(6) Disciplinary proceedings against attorneys. T.C.A. § 23-3-202.

(7) Granting of extraordinary process. T.C.A. § 29-1-106.

Other Concurrent Jurisdiction

The following are other instances in which the courts have concurrent jurisdiction.

The criminal courts have concurrent jurisdiction with the judges of the circuit courts and the Supreme Court to determine if a person who forfeited recognizance merits any relief from the forfeiture. T.C.A. § 40-11-204.

All judges and chancellors of the courts of Tennessee are vested with the authority to solemnize the rites of matrimony. T.C.A. § 17-1-206.

The circuit court has concurrent original jurisdiction with the chancery and general sessions courts over suits to recover personal property. T.C.A. § 29-30-102.

The circuit court has concurrent original jurisdiction with general sessions court in the following cases:

(1) Contractual debts and demands over $50.00 concurrent to the extent of the jurisdictional limit of the general sessions court. T.C.A. § 16-10-106. Note: General Sessions Court is vested with all jurisdiction once conferred by law on justices of the peace. T.C.A. § 16-15-501(a), (b).

(2) Cases of forcible entry and detainer. T.C.A. § 29-18-107.

(3) Suits seeking an order to require a vacating public officer to show cause for non-delivery of records and property to his successor. T.C.A. § 8-49-102.

Procedure in Trial Courts

Procedure in Circuit and Chancery Court

In 1970, the Supreme Court adopted the Rules of Civil Procedure. These Rules were approved by the Legislature pursuant to T.C.A. § 16-3-404 and took effect January 1, 1971. These Rules govern procedure in all civil actions in chancery court, and in all other courts while exercising the jurisdiction of circuit and chancery court. Tenn. R. Civ. P. 1.

Procedure in Criminal Court

The Supreme Court adopted the Rules of Criminal Procedure, which were approved by the Legislature and took effect on July 13, 1978. These rules govern all criminal proceedings conducted in all courts of record in Tennessee. Tenn. R. Crim. P. 1.

Additionally, these rules govern procedure in the general sessions courts of the state to the extent of:

(a) The institution of criminal proceedings pursuant to Rules 3, 3.5, and 4;

(b) The disposition of criminal charges pursuant to Rule 5;

(c) Preliminary examinations pursuant to Rule 5.1;

(d) Subpoena power pursuant to Rule 17;

(e) Venue as outlined in Rule 18;

(f) Search and seizure pursuant to Rule 41;

(g) Assignment of counsel as provided in Rule 44;

(h) In any other situation where the context clearly indicates applicability. See Tenn. R. Crim. P., Rule 1.

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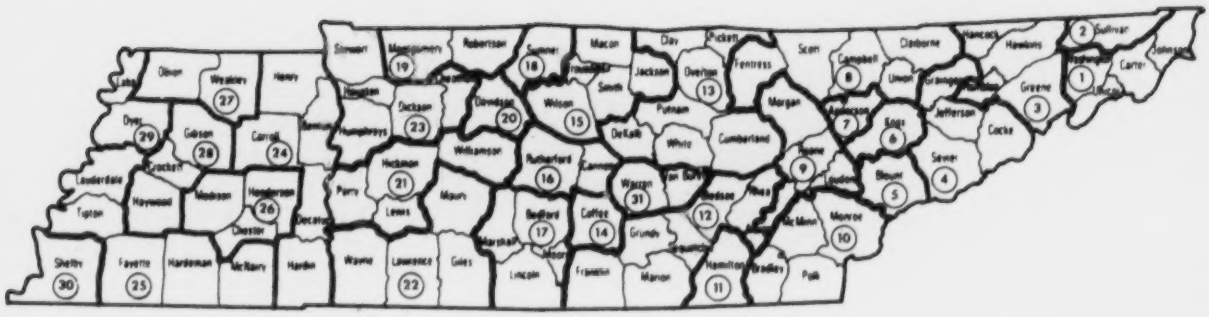

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Circuit Civil Statistics

Calendar Year 1986

1st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Carter	9	95	31	54	15	204	31
Johnson	1	48	10	3	0	62	5
Unicoi	2	70	1	1	0	74	5
Washington	4	254	6	124	1	389	62
District Total	**16**	**467**	**48**	**182**	**16**	**729**	**103**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Carter	70	4	37	1	0	16	37
Johnson	19	1	11	0	0	13	0
Unicoi	44	1	20	0	6	2	0
Washington	188	29	79	1	1	59	24
District Total	**321**	**35**	**147**	**2**	**7**	**90**	**61**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Carter	3	0	0	0	19	218	422
Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	49	111
Unicoi	0	0	0	0	1	79	153
Washington	45	4	0	0	13	505	894
District Total	**48**	**4**	**0**	**0**	**33**	**851**	**1580**

1st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Carter	4	0	9	113	89	52	42
Johnson	1	0	3	22	43	3	0
Unicoi	4	0	7	51	48	12	0
Washington	3	13	15	394	187	214	3
District Total	**12**	**13**	**34**	**580**	**367**	**281**	**45**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Carter	68	0	2	0	27	0	406
Johnson	4	0	9	0	0	0	85
Unicoi	23	0	1	2	1	0	149
Washington	25	0	1	0	52	0	907
District Total	**120**	**0**	**13**	**2**	**80**	**0**	**1547**

2nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Sullivan	19	469	80	0	48	616	117
District Total	**19**	**469**	**80**	**0**	**48**	**616**	**117**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Sullivan	404	47	93	20	0	107	22
District Total	**404**	**47**	**93**	**20**	**0**	**107**	**22**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Sullivan	36	5	0	0	28	879	**1495**
District Total	**36**	**5**	**0**	**0**	**28**	**879**	**1495**

2nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Sullivan	13	18	45	719	334	96	100
District Total	**13**	**18**	**45**	**719**	**334**	**96**	**100**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Sullivan	134	4	4	13	2	51	**1533**
District Total	**134**	**4**	**4**	**13**	**2**	**51**	**1533**

3rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Greene	8	299	35	0	6	348	8
Hamblen	0	17	5	0	0	22	29
Hancock	1	25	0	6	0	32	2
Hawkins	5	162	16	0	1	184	12
District Total	**14**	**503**	**56**	**6**	**7**	**586**	**51**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Greene	97	17	63	13	0	56	0
Hamblen	135	0	64	1	0	61	0
Hancock	23	2	2	1	0	15	0
Hawkins	104	14	25	1	0	21	1
District Total	**359**	**33**	**154**	**16**	**0**	**153**	**1**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Greene	0	0	0	0	1	255	**603**
Hamblen	0	0	0	0	11	301	**323**
Hancock	0	0	0	0	5	50	**82**
Hawkins	14	0	0	0	2	194	**378**
District Total	**14**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**19**	**800**	**1386**

3rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Greene	2	0	9	147	209	98	76
Hamblen	0	0	11	167	13	55	30
Hancock	2	2	0	2	19	12	0
Hawkins	4	0	1	77	141	65	18
District Total	**8**	**2**	**21**	**393**	**382**	**230**	**124**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Greene	14	0	1	5	27	0	**588**
Hamblen	23	0	3	0	4	4	**310**
Hancock	31	0	0	0	0	0	**68**
Hawkins	13	0	0	0	7	1	**327**
District Total	**81**	**0**	**4**	**5**	**38**	**5**	**1293**

4th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Cocke	6	115	38	29	5	193	59
Grainger	0	54	16	20	2	92	2
Jefferson	0	34	16	35	1	86	28
Sevier	13	122	3	56	8	202	49
District Total	**19**	**325**	**73**	**140**	**16**	**573**	**138**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Cocke	91	1	35	0	0	33	0
Grainger	31	11	3	0	0	8	0
Jefferson	65	2	16	0	4	23	0
Sevier	153	8	52	1	1	58	0
District Total	**340**	**22**	**106**	**1**	**5**	**122**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Cocke	0	4	2	0	40	265	**458**
Grainger	0	0	0	0	1	56	**148**
Jefferson	0	3	0	0	17	158	**244**
Sevier	0	2	0	0	39	363	**565**
District Total	**0**	**9**	**2**	**0**	**97**	**842**	**1415**

4th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Cocke	6	0	45	82	86	120	48
Grainger	0	2	0	27	38	3	3
Jefferson	0	0	14	100	28	38	29
Sevier	9	0	24	240	64	101	42
District Total	**15**	**2**	**83**	**449**	**216**	**262**	**122**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Cocke	43	0	0	0	4	0	**434**
Grainger	5	0	0	0	0	0	**78**
Jefferson	42	1	3	0	6	1	**262**
Sevier	55	5	6	0	9	37	**592**
District Total	**145**	**6**	**9**	**0**	**19**	**38**	**1366**

5th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Blount	38	687	181	145	1	1052	74
District Total	**38**	**687**	**181**	**145**	**1**	**1052**	**74**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Blount	188	10	66	14	3	54	88
District Total	**188**	**10**	**66**	**14**	**3**	**54**	**88**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Blount	0	37	0	0	80	614	1666
District Total	**0**	**37**	**0**	**0**	**80**	**614**	**1666**

5th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Blount	25	22	32	435	557	82	132
District Total	**25**	**22**	**32**	**435**	**557**	**82**	**132**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Blount	109	8	7	12	55	59	1535
District Total	**109**	**8**	**7**	**12**	**55**	**59**	**1535**

6th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Knox	63	1945	550	216	146	2920	173
District Total	**63**	**1945**	**550**	**216**	**146**	**2920**	**173**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Knox	1560	45	202	8	0	364	0
District Total	**1560**	**45**	**202**	**8**	**0**	**364**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Knox	0	3	0	0	26	2381	5301
District Total	**0**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**26**	**2381**	**5301**

6th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Knox	58	0	40	988	1711	420	562
District Total	**58**	**0**	**40**	**988**	**1711**	**420**	**562**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Knox	1156	0	18	0	24	19	4996
District Total	**1156**	**0**	**18**	**0**	**24**	**19**	**4996**

7th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Anderson	0	0	0	0	0	0	50
District Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**50**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Anderson	222	5	115	0	0	51	0
District Total	**222**	**5**	**115**	**0**	**0**	**51**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Anderson	0	0	0	0	7	450	450
District Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**7**	**450**	**450**

7th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Anderson	0	1	14	227	0	86	0
District Total	**0**	**1**	**14**	**227**	**0**	**86**	**0**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Anderson	106	1	3	0	3	6	447
District Total	**106**	**1**	**3**	**0**	**3**	**6**	**447**

8th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Campbell	7	4	0	49	2	62	36
Claiborne	0	20	0	48	1	69	19
Fentress	4	146	6	15	4	175	3
Scott	8	81	3	25	0	117	18
Union	0	10	7	16	0	33	1
District Total	**19**	**261**	**16**	**153**	**7**	**456**	**77**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Campbell	84	3	10	1	0	24	0
Claiborne	61	19	2	3	0	21	0
Fentress	38	1	5	1	0	15	0
Scott	28	7	6	1	0	17	0
Union	19	0	3	1	1	8	0
District Total	**230**	**30**	**26**	**7**	**1**	**85**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Campbell	9	0	0	0	11	178	**240**
Claiborne	2	3	0	0	7	137	**206**
Fentress	0	0	1	0	1	65	**240**
Scott	0	0	0	1	0	78	**195**
Union	0	0	0	0	0	33	**66**
District Total	**11**	**3**	**1**	**1**	**19**	**491**	**947**

8th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Campbell	8	0	0	132	2	70	1
Claiborne	1	0	4	80	18	27	0
Fentress	2	4	9	37	98	2	4
Scott	7	1	1	72	74	37	6
Union	0	0	0	13	9	21	2
District Total	**18**	**5**	**14**	**334**	**201**	**157**	**13**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Campbell	8	0	0	2	2	3	**228**
Claiborne	16	1	0	1	21	0	**169**
Fentress	11	0	3	0	1	3	**174**
Scott	4	0	0	1	0	0	**203**
Union	19	0	0	0	7	0	**71**
District Total	**58**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**31**	**6**	**845**

9th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Loudon	2	3	4	38	0	47	28
Meigs	0	12	0	15	2	29	1
Morgan	0	7	15	29	0	51	4
Roane	7	7	2	42	0	58	20
District Total	**9**	**29**	**21**	**124**	**2**	**185**	**53**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Loudon	74	2	13	1	0	2	11
Meigs	18	0	5	0	0	2	0
Morgan	32	0	12	0	0	7	1
Roane	129	3	26	2	0	69	0
District Total	**253**	**5**	**56**	**3**	**0**	**80**	**12**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Loudon	0	0	0	0	8	139	**186**
Meigs	0	0	0	0	0	26	**55**
Morgan	0	0	0	0	2	58	**109**
Roane	1	1	1	0	5	257	**315**
District Total	**1**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**15**	**480**	**665**

9th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Loudon	2	1	5	39	3	13	3
Meigs	0	0	0	4	5	1	0
Morgan	0	0	0	29	2	24	36
Roane	7	0	6	54	7	96	1
District Total	**9**	**1**	**11**	**126**	**17**	**134**	**40**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Loudon	58	0	2	0	13	2	**141**
Meigs	4	0	0	0	1	3	**18**
Morgan	11	0	0	0	3	0	**105**
Roane	91	0	3	0	15	1	**281**
District Total	**164**	**0**	**5**	**0**	**32**	**6**	**545**

10th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Bradley	32	503	39	112	1	687	17
McMinn	5	280	22	48	3	358	12
Monroe	6	114	3	51	17	191	6
Polk	3	29	10	6	7	55	2
District Total	**46**	**926**	**74**	**217**	**28**	**1291**	**37**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Bradley	184	3	52	3	2	66	0
McMinn	91	0	23	2	0	28	1
Monroe	50	19	12	0	1	12	4
Polk	32	1	2	1	0	5	3
District Total	**357**	**23**	**89**	**6**	**3**	**111**	**8**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Bradley	0	33	0	1	7	368	**1055**
McMinn	1	2	0	1	3	164	**522**
Monroe	1	1	0	0	6	112	**303**
Polk	1	0	0	0	4	51	**106**
District Total	**3**	**36**	**0**	**2**	**20**	**695**	**1986**

10th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Bradley	23	0	3	283	375	52	53
McMinn	7	0	0	107	170	40	16
Monroe	5	4	2	53	74	20	0
Polk	2	0	3	39	26	5	7
District Total	**37**	**4**	**8**	**482**	**645**	**117**	**76**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Bradley	41	0	0	0	5	1	**836**
McMinn	10	1	1	0	6	0	**358**
Monroe	5	0	0	0	1	1	**165**
Polk	6	0	0	1	5	11	**105**
District Total	**62**	**1**	**1**	**1**	**17**	**13**	**1464**

11th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Hamilton	56	2016	766	325	0	3163	0
District Total	**56**	**2016**	**766**	**325**	**0**	**3163**	**0**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Hamilton	1171	0	366	3	0	183	0
District Total	**1171**	**0**	**366**	**3**	**0**	**183**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Hamilton	80	1	0	0	233	2037	**5200**
District Total	**80**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**233**	**2037**	**5200**

11th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Hamilton	47	0	4	1835	1537	396	675
District Total	**47**	**0**	**4**	**1835**	**1537**	**396**	**675**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Hamilton	422	0	1	1	181	50	**5149**
District Total	**422**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**181**	**50**	**5149**

12th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Bledsoe	0	15	1	15	1	32	7
Franklin	0	106	6	43	3	158	13
Grundy	5	86	1	11	0	103	10
Marion	15	246	48	41	2	352	19
Rhea	7	287	63	8	34	399	7
Sequatchie	5	67	40	5	0	117	2
District Total	**32**	**807**	**159**	**123**	**40**	**1161**	**58**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Bledsoe	7	0	1	0	0	6	0
Franklin	78	0	10	2	0	48	0
Grundy	16	3	1	0	0	11	2
Marion	65	10	15	1	1	31	0
Rhea	47	0	11	0	14	16	3
Sequatchie	18	0	0	0	0	12	0
District Total	**231**	**13**	**38**	**3**	**15**	**124**	**5**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Bledsoe	0	10	0	0	4	35	**67**
Franklin	1	7	0	0	7	166	**324**
Grundy	0	3	0	0	7	53	**156**
Marion	0	5	0	0	0	147	**499**
Rhea	0	0	0	0	1	99	**498**
Sequatchie	0	2	0	0	0	34	**151**
District Total	**1**	**27**	**0**	**0**	**19**	**534**	**1695**

12th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Bledsoe	0	0	1	30	6	4	8
Franklin	0	0	1	57	63	10	9
Grundy	4	4	1	12	56	17	5
Marion	9	2	0	80	169	2	10
Rhea	4	0	0	40	125	1	33
Sequatchie	5	0	1	20	53	1	28
District Total	**22**	**6**	**4**	**239**	**472**	**35**	**93**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Bledsoe	7	1	0	0	2	2	**61**
Franklin	43	2	1	0	0	13	**199**
Grundy	9	1	0	0	0	0	**109**
Marion	26	0	0	0	0	0	**298**
Rhea	2	0	1	1	0	15	**222**
Sequatchie	5	0	1	0	2	2	**118**
District Total	**92**	**4**	**3**	**1**	**4**	**32**	**1007**

13th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Clay	1	1	0	3	0	5	2
Cumberland	0	3	1	3	3	10	9
DeKalb	0	58	4	13	0	75	3
Overton	0	0	0	0	0	0	35
Pickett	1	10	2	0	0	13	6
Putnam	8	25	2	60	15	110	18
White	2	1	0	0	0	3	6
District Total	**12**	**98**	**9**	**79**	**18**	**216**	**79**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Clay	5	5	2	0	0	1	0
Cumberland	74	17	16	2	0	25	0
DeKalb	33	0	7	1	0	3	0
Overton	26	6	4	0	0	3	0
Pickett	4	12	2	0	1	4	0
Putnam	103	2	52	0	0	25	0
White	37	0	0	0	0	3	0
District Total	**282**	**42**	**83**	**3**	**1**	**64**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Clay	0	0	0	0	0	15	**20**
Cumberland	0	1	0	0	5	149	**159**
DeKalb	0	2	0	0	1	50	**125**
Overton	0	0	0	0	0	74	**74**
Pickett	0	0	0	0	0	29	**42**
Putnam	0	0	0	0	8	208	**318**
White	0	0	0	0	2	48	**51**
District Total	**0**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**16**	**573**	**789**

13th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Clay	0	0	0	1	1	2	0
Cumberland	1	0	2	42	0	15	1
DeKalb	0	0	3	64	29	8	9
Overton	0	0	0	36	0	3	0
Pickett	1	1	2	6	8	5	0
Putnam	8	0	5	148	20	30	27
White	1	0	2	18	2	1	0
District Total	**11**	**1**	**14**	**315**	**60**	**64**	**37**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Clay	4	0	0	0	0	0	**8**
Cumberland	27	0	2	1	0	0	**91**
DeKalb	17	6	1	1	3	0	**141**
Overton	9	0	0	0	0	3	**51**
Pickett	5	0	0	0	0	0	**28**
Putnam	109	0	1	0	8	3	**359**
White	3	0	6	0	0	1	**34**
District Total	**174**	**6**	**10**	**2**	**11**	**7**	**712**

14th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Coffee	6	264	128	79	0	477	24
District Total	**6**	**264**	**128**	**79**	**0**	**477**	**24**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Coffee	107	7	19	0	0	4	0
District Total	**107**	**7**	**19**	**0**	**0**	**4**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Coffee	0	18	0	1	11	191	668
District Total	**0**	**18**	**0**	**1**	**11**	**191**	**668**

14th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Coffee	5	13	3	126	190	19	88
District Total	**5**	**13**	**3**	**126**	**190**	**19**	**88**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Coffee	78	3	0	0	46	3	574
District Total	**78**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**46**	**3**	**574**

15th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Jackson	0	0	0	0	2	2	3
Macon	6	103	2	0	9	120	6
Smith	3	57	8	0	2	70	9
Trousdale	1	15	0	0	1	17	0
Wilson	25	267	42	0	0	334	23
District Total	**35**	**442**	**52**	**0**	**14**	**543**	**41**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Jackson	7	0	1	0	0	5	0
Macon	17	1	4	1	0	12	6
Smith	27	8	10	0	0	5	5
Trousdale	5	0	2	0	0	1	0
Wilson	156	41	36	3	0	44	24
District Total	**212**	**50**	**53**	**4**	**0**	**67**	**35**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Jackson	0	1	0	0	0	17	**19**
Macon	0	0	0	0	1	48	**168**
Smith	3	0	0	0	4	71	**141**
Trousdale	2	0	0	0	0	10	**27**
Wilson	10	34	0	0	0	371	**705**
District Total	**15**	**35**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**517**	**1060**

15th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Jackson	0	0	1	7	0	2	0
Macon	2	0	8	38	52	1	2
Smith	3	2	0	23	35	18	3
Trousdale	0	0	0	0	5	0	0
Wilson	21	0	7	137	225	74	15
District Total	**26**	**2**	**16**	**205**	**317**	**95**	**20**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Jackson	8	0	0	0	0	0	**18**
Macon	25	0	0	1	0	3	**132**
Smith	15	0	0	0	0	1	**100**
Trousdale	2	0	0	0	0	0	**7**
Wilson	58	0	6	0	4	0	**547**
District Total	**108**	**0**	**6**	**1**	**4**	**4**	**804**

16th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Cannon	0	37	17	11	1	66	9
Rutherford	28	632	276	181	68	1185	42
District Total	**28**	**669**	**293**	**192**	**69**	**1251**	**51**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Cannon	9	6	1	1	0	3	0
Rutherford	230	0	69	6	1	72	0
District Total	**239**	**6**	**70**	**7**	**1**	**75**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Cannon	0	2	0	1	1	33	**99**
Rutherford	0	1	0	0	42	463	**1648**
District Total	**0**	**3**	**0**	**1**	**43**	**496**	**1747**

16th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Cannon	0	0	12	30	27	15	5
Rutherford	33	11	7	483	456	144	211
District Total	**33**	**11**	**19**	**513**	**483**	**159**	**216**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Cannon	9	0	0	0	1	0	**99**
Rutherford	53	0	2	0	65	109	**1574**
District Total	**62**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**66**	**109**	**1673**

17th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Bedford	0	0	0	35	0	35	3
Lincoln	0	70	36	78	2	186	3
Marshall	0	1	1	29	0	31	5
Moore	0	1	4	5	0	10	0
District Total	**0**	**72**	**41**	**147**	**2**	**262**	**11**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Bedford	43	6	2	0	0	30	0
Lincoln	43	1	6	1	0	5	3
Marshall	26	0	3	0	0	12	0
Moore	5	0	0	0	0	1	0
District Total	**117**	**7**	**11**	**1**	**0**	**48**	**3**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Bedford	0	1	0	0	3	88	123
Lincoln	1	1	0	0	11	75	261
Marshall	0	2	0	0	10	58	89
Moore	0	0	0	0	0	6	16
District Total	**1**	**4**	**0**	**0**	**24**	**227**	**489**

17th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Bedford	0	0	1	9	0	10	6
Lincoln	1	0	0	47	53	22	31
Marshall	0	0	5	21	0	7	9
Moore	0	0	2	3	2	0	0
District Total	**1**	**0**	**8**	**80**	**55**	**39**	**46**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Bedford	33	0	0	0	0	7	66
Lincoln	12	0	0	1	0	2	169
Marshall	6	0	0	0	1	0	49
Moore	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
District Total	**51**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**9**	**291**

18th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Sumner	37	453	253	140	0	883	60
District Total	**37**	**453**	**253**	**140**	**0**	**883**	**60**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Sumner	188	16	54	4	2	75	2
District Total	**188**	**16**	**54**	**4**	**2**	**75**	**2**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Sumner	0	5	0	0	3	409	1292
District Total	**0**	**5**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**409**	**1292**

18th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Sumner	36	99	12	170	375	145	106
District Total	**36**	**99**	**12**	**170**	**375**	**145**	**106**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Sumner	203	0	5	0	60	0	1211
District Total	**203**	**0**	**5**	**0**	**60**	**0**	**1211**

19th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Montgomery	0	5	43	0	0	48	47
Robertson	14	31	7	72	13	137	18
District Total	**14**	**36**	**50**	**72**	**13**	**185**	**65**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Montgomery	254	6	17	1	0	79	11
Robertson	48	8	10	0	0	27	1
District Total	**302**	**14**	**27**	**1**	**0**	**106**	**12**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Montgomery	2	1	1	0	24	443	491
Robertson	0	0	0	0	2	114	251
District Total	**2**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**26**	**557**	**742**

19th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Montgomery	1	5	17	394	18	70	28
Robertson	10	0	1	56	23	17	2
District Total	**11**	**5**	**18**	**450**	**41**	**87**	**30**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Montgomery	18	4	1	1	1	0	558
Robertson	2	0	3	0	0	0	114
District Total	**20**	**4**	**4**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**672**

20th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Davidson	268	3844	1642	740	0	6494	214
District Total	**268**	**3844**	**1642**	**740**	**0**	**6494**	**214**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Davidson	1745	38	589	28	1	636	0
District Total	**1745**	**38**	**589**	**28**	**1**	**636**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Davidson	514	0	0	0	307	4072	**10566**
District Total	**514**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**307**	**4072**	**10566**

20th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Davidson	195	1	33	1876	2643	762	1164
District Total	**195**	**1**	**33**	**1876**	**2643**	**762**	**1164**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Davidson	1929	0	16	0	302	38	**8959**
District Total	**1929**	**0**	**16**	**0**	**302**	**38**	**8959**

21st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Hickman	5	44	8	18	2	77	14
Lewis	0	38	0	16	1	55	7
Perry	0	7	5	0	0	12	5
Williamson	0	873	77	86	12	1048	22
District Total	**5**	**962**	**90**	**120**	**15**	**1192**	**48**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Hickman	16	0	3	0	0	3	0
Lewis	17	2	1	0	0	0	0
Perry	5	1	2	0	0	2	0
Williamson	117	27	9	3	0	38	1
District Total	**155**	**30**	**15**	**3**	**0**	**43**	**1**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Hickman	0	6	0	0	0	42	119
Lewis	1	1	0	0	1	30	85
Perry	0	0	0	0	0	15	27
Williamson	0	10	0	0	11	238	1286
District Total	**1**	**17**	**0**	**0**	**12**	**325**	**1517**

21st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Hickman	4	0	2	36	39	7	13
Lewis	1	0	3	28	46	3	0
Perry	0	1	1	3	4	1	5
Williamson	0	1	1	194	872	89	22
District Total	**5**	**2**	**7**	**261**	**961**	**100**	**40**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Hickman	9	0	0	0	4	0	114
Lewis	11	0	0	0	2	2	96
Perry	2	0	0	0	0	0	17
Williamson	41	0	1	1	47	3	1272
District Total	**63**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**53**	**5**	**1499**

22nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Giles	0	1	0	38	0	39	7
Lawrence	2	1	0	35	0	38	18
Maury	0	1	2	65	0	68	37
Wayne	0	0	0	3	0	3	19
District Total	**2**	**3**	**2**	**141**	**0**	**148**	**81**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Giles	23	1	12	0	0	16	0
Lawrence	68	0	47	2	0	23	0
Maury	107	1	57	1	0	44	0
Wayne	13	5	6	0	0	5	0
District Total	**211**	**7**	**122**	**3**	**0**	**88**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Giles	0	0	0	0	7	66	**105**
Lawrence	0	0	0	0	1	159	**197**
Maury	0	0	0	0	41	288	**356**
Wayne	0	0	0	0	0	48	**51**
District Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**49**	**561**	**709**

22nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Giles	0	0	2	23	1	14	4
Lawrence	2	0	2	59	1	2	4
Maury	0	0	13	52	0	43	18
Wayne	0	0	10	12	0	5	0
District Total	**2**	**0**	**27**	**146**	**2**	**64**	**26**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Giles	30	0	2	1	1	3	**81**
Lawrence	72	2	3	1	0	1	**149**
Maury	65	0	3	1	7	87	**289**
Wayne	17	0	0	0	0	0	**44**
District Total	**184**	**2**	**8**	**3**	**8**	**91**	**563**

23rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Cheatham	0	0	11	0	0	11	6
Dickson	0	1	5	0	3	9	7
Houston	0	0	2	1	0	3	1
Humphreys	2	0	34	2	0	38	12
Stewart	0	1	0	22	1	24	1
District Total	**2**	**2**	**52**	**25**	**4**	**85**	**27**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Cheatham	36	6	2	0	0	9	18
Dickson	76	2	10	0	0	27	0
Houston	3	0	1	1	0	1	2
Humphreys	38	6	6	1	0	7	1
Stewart	13	0	1	0	0	8	0
District Total	**168**	**14**	**20**	**2**	**0**	**52**	**21**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Cheatham	0	0	0	0	1	78	**89**
Dickson	0	5	0	0	15	142	**151**
Houston	0	0	0	0	2	11	**14**
Humphreys	0	1	0	0	0	72	**110**
Stewart	0	0	0	0	1	26	**50**
District Total	**0**	**6**	**0**	**0**	**19**	**329**	**414**

23rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Cheatham	1	4	0	7	1	7	8
Dickson	0	0	8	67	1	27	13
Houston	1	3	0	3	0	2	2
Humphreys	1	0	4	28	2	2	12
Stewart	0	0	4	3	4	6	0
District Total	**3**	**7**	**16**	**108**	**8**	**44**	**35**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Cheatham	9	0	1	0	0	0	**38**
Dickson	7	0	1	0	9	0	**133**
Houston	7	0	0	0	0	1	**19**
Humphreys	33	0	2	1	0	3	**88**
Stewart	25	0	0	0	0	1	**43**
District Total	**81**	**0**	**4**	**1**	**9**	**5**	**321**

24th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Benton	0	3	0	18	0	21	17
Carroll	0	1	1	33	7	42	5
Decatur	0	1	1	10	0	12	14
Hardin	2	0	1	17	0	20	4
Henry	0	1	1	40	1	43	10
District Total	**2**	**6**	**4**	**118**	**8**	**138**	**50**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Benton	38	2	12	1	0	0	0
Carroll	35	21	10	0	0	6	0
Decatur	25	2	8	0	0	1	0
Hardin	34	1	6	0	0	14	0
Henry	45	5	20	0	0	15	0
District Total	**177**	**31**	**56**	**1**	**0**	**36**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Benton	0	1	0	0	2	73	**94**
Carroll	0	2	0	0	3	82	**124**
Decatur	0	0	0	0	0	50	**62**
Hardin	0	1	0	0	2	62	**82**
Henry	1	1	0	0	17	114	**157**
District Total	**1**	**5**	**0**	**0**	**24**	**381**	**519**

24th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Benton	0	0	3	23	1	7	8
Carroll	0	1	1	58	2	25	11
Decatur	0	0	1	22	1	9	3
Hardin	3	0	5	23	0	13	0
Henry	0	0	3	18	1	28	1
District Total	**3**	**1**	**13**	**144**	**5**	**82**	**23**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Benton	17	0	11	0	16	1	**87**
Carroll	18	1	3	1	20	5	**146**
Decatur	9	1	1	0	0	0	**47**
Hardin	9	0	0	0	0	0	**53**
Henry	82	0	0	0	17	2	**152**
District Total	**135**	**2**	**15**	**1**	**53**	**8**	**485**

25th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Fayette	0	0	0	17	0	17	21
Hardeman	0	1	0	25	0	26	20
Lauderdale	0	3	0	36	1	40	6
McNairy	0	0	0	19	0	19	0
Tipton	0	2	1	29	1	33	10
District Total	**0**	**6**	**1**	**126**	**2**	**135**	**57**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Fayette	37	9	4	0	0	7	0
Hardeman	37	0	3	0	0	6	0
Lauderdale	45	1	7	0	0	16	0
McNairy	27	1	1	0	0	25	0
Tipton	52	2	5	1	0	19	0
District Total	**198**	**13**	**20**	**1**	**0**	**73**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Fayette	0	3	0	0	4	85	**102**
Hardeman	1	0	0	0	7	74	**100**
Lauderdale	0	8	0	0	5	88	**128**
McNairy	0	1	0	0	1	56	**75**
Tipton	0	0	0	0	7	96	**129**
District Total	**1**	**12**	**0**	**0**	**24**	**399**	**534**

25th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Fayette	0	0	6	41	0	21	9
Hardeman	0	0	4	24	0	28	0
Lauderdale	0	0	30	55	1	0	0
McNairy	0	1	2	17	0	5	0
Tipton	0	0	1	53	0	32	0
District Total	**0**	**1**	**43**	**190**	**1**	**86**	**9**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Fayette	2	0	0	0	0	0	**79**
Hardeman	1	0	0	0	0	0	**57**
Lauderdale	1	1	26	0	1	4	**119**
McNairy	1	0	0	0	3	2	**31**
Tipton	5	0	1	0	6	4	**102**
District Total	**10**	**1**	**27**	**0**	**10**	**10**	**388**

26th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Chester	0	0	1	22	5	28	0
Henderson	0	0	14	44	0	58	4
Madison	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
District Total	**0**	**0**	**15**	**66**	**5**	**86**	**20**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Chester	18	1	1	0	0	1	0
Henderson	38	7	0	1	0	13	1
Madison	178	12	25	1	26	84	0
District Total	**234**	**20**	**26**	**2**	**26**	**98**	**1**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Chester	0	0	0	0	3	24	**52**
Henderson	0	1	0	0	3	68	**126**
Madison	3	8	0	0	33	386	**386**
District Total	**3**	**9**	**0**	**0**	**39**	**478**	**564**

26th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Chester	0	0	2	7	0	6	0
Henderson	0	3	1	25	0	1	14
Madison	0	0	6	197	0	50	6
District Total	**0**	**3**	**9**	**229**	**0**	**57**	**20**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Chester	12	0	3	0	1	1	**32**
Henderson	2	2	8	2	1	4	**63**
Madison	53	1	2	0	1	17	**333**
District Total	**67**	**3**	**13**	**2**	**3**	**22**	**428**

27th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Obion	0	2	4	53	0	59	6
Weakley	0	33	12	16	0	61	6
District Total	**0**	**35**	**16**	**69**	**0**	**120**	**12**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Obion	48	1	14	0	0	14	0
Weakley	38	17	4	1	0	10	0
District Total	**86**	**18**	**18**	**1**	**0**	**24**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Obion	0	2	0	1	4	90	149
Weakley	0	0	0	0	0	76	137
District Total	**0**	**2**	**0**	**1**	**4**	**166**	**286**

27th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Obion	0	0	0	66	0	16	14
Weakley	0	0	0	16	12	8	2
District Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**82**	**12**	**24**	**16**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Obion	13	0	2	1	4	1	117
Weakley	18	0	0	0	0	1	57
District Total	**31**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**4**	**2**	**174**

28th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Crockett	0	0	11	15	1	27	7
Gibson	0	10	28	57	1	96	14
Haywood	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
District Total	**0**	**10**	**39**	**72**	**2**	**123**	**23**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Crockett	19	1	1	0	0	2	2
Gibson	78	4	3	1	0	20	13
Haywood	39	0	2	0	0	11	0
District Total	**136**	**5**	**6**	**1**	**0**	**33**	**15**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Crockett	1	0	0	0	7	40	67
Gibson	0	7	0	0	10	150	246
Haywood	0	0	0	0	4	58	58
District Total	**1**	**7**	**0**	**0**	**21**	**248**	**371**

28th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Crockett	0	1	6	20	0	23	8
Gibson	0	2	4	81	8	28	21
Haywood	0	0	1	26	0	6	0
District Total	**0**	**3**	**11**	**127**	**8**	**57**	**29**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Crockett	9	0	0	0	8	1	76
Gibson	40	3	4	1	36	8	236
Haywood	3	0	0	0	1	0	37
District Total	**52**	**3**	**4**	**1**	**45**	**9**	**349**

29th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Dyer	0	16	20	59	3	98	28
Lake	0	6	2	16	0	24	1
District Total	**0**	**22**	**22**	**75**	**3**	**122**	**29**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Dyer	90	2	17	0	0	46	4
Lake	16	1	1	0	0	12	0
District Total	**106**	**3**	**18**	**0**	**0**	**58**	**4**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Dyer	0	3	0	1	4	195	293
Lake	0	4	0	0	2	37	61
District Total	**0**	**7**	**0**	**1**	**6**	**232**	**354**

29th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Dyer	0	0	1	69	8	48	5
Lake	0	0	1	22	3	4	9
District Total	**0**	**0**	**2**	**91**	**11**	**52**	**14**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Dyer	98	11	1	0	56	3	300
Lake	7	3	1	0	3	1	54
District Total	**105**	**14**	**2**	**0**	**59**	**4**	**354**

30th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Shelby	1	3943	248	0	24	4216	686
District Total	**1**	**3943**	**248**	**0**	**24**	**4216**	**686**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Shelby	1918	30	1241	4	32	1739	232
District Total	**1918**	**30**	**1241**	**4**	**32**	**1739**	**232**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Shelby	0	5	0	1	180	6068	10284
District Total	**0**	**5**	**0**	**1**	**180**	**6068**	**10284**

30th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Shelby	0	195	215	3529	2917	836	597
District Total	**0**	**195**	**215**	**3529**	**2917**	**836**	**597**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Shelby	1285	4	102	0	31	27	9738
District Total	**1285**	**4**	**102**	**0**	**31**	**27**	**9738**

31st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Van Buren	0	10	1	9	1	21	1
Warren	6	78	0	44	4	132	15
District Total	**6**	**88**	**1**	**53**	**5**	**153**	**16**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Van Buren	9	1	1	0	0	0	0
Warren	74	6	14	2	0	16	0
District Total	**83**	**7**	**15**	**2**	**0**	**16**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Van Buren	0	0	0	0	1	13	**34**
Warren	0	0	0	1	24	152	**284**
District Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**25**	**165**	**318**

31st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIRCUIT COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Van Buren	0	0	0	11	9	4	4
Warren	8	0	7	59	47	22	1
District Total	**8**	**0**	**7**	**70**	**56**	**26**	**5**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Van Buren	3	0	0	0	0	0	**31**
Warren	24	0	0	3	0	7	**178**
District Total	**27**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**7**	**209**

Criminal Court Statistics

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1st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Carter	20	3	0	0	5	0	28	17
Johnson	8	1	0	13	3	0	25	8
Unicoi	15	3	0	14	1	0	33	14
Washington	39	11	2	0	23	4	79	70
District Total	**82**	**18**	**2**	**27**	**32**	**4**	**165**	**109**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Carter	33	5	0	40	8	0	103	0
Johnson	7	4	0	7	0	0	26	0
Unicoi	7	0	0	4	0	1	26	0
Washington	65	4	11	68	10	4	232	3
District Total	**112**	**13**	**11**	**119**	**18**	**5**	**387**	**3**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Carter	1	37	21	0	0	9	2	0
Johnson	3	11	37	0	1	2	0	0
Unicoi	0	10	23	1	0	0	0	0
Washington	2	77	84	0	0	9	0	0
District Total	**6**	**135**	**165**	**1**	**1**	**20**	**2**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Carter	0	1	21	92	**223**
Johnson	0	0	1	55	**106**
Unicoi	0	0	2	36	**95**
Washington	1	9	14	199	**510**
District Total	**1**	**10**	**38**	**382**	**934**

1st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Carter	4	9	17	126	2	0	0
Johnson	0	27	3	27	1	0	0
Unicoi	1	4	6	40	1	0	0
Washington	6	18	49	294	6	0	0
District Total	**11**	**58**	**75**	**487**	**10**	**0**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Carter	0	3	4	**165**
Johnson	0	0	0	**58**
Unicoi	0	0	0	**52**
Washington	6	19	3	**401**
District Total	**6**	**22**	**7**	**676**

2nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Sullivan	71	14	2	287	35	23	432	145
District Total	**71**	**14**	**2**	**287**	**35**	**23**	**432**	**145**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Sullivan	495	17	39	219	47	33	995	2
District Total	**495**	**17**	**39**	**219**	**47**	**33**	**995**	**2**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Sullivan	6	148	88	1	0	2	4	0
District Total	**6**	**148**	**88**	**1**	**0**	**2**	**4**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Sullivan	11	458	117	837	2264
District Total	**11**	**458**	**117**	**837**	**2264**

2nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Sullivan	20	84	174	743	12	337	142
District Total	**20**	**84**	**174**	**743**	**12**	**337**	**142**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Sullivan	19	22	16	1569
District Total	**19**	**22**	**16**	**1569**

3rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Greene	37	8	2	54	17	6	124	27
Hamblen	19	3	1	41	7	5	76	30
Hancock	11	1	0	0	0	2	14	12
Hawkins	6	2	2	74	6	3	93	54
District Total	**73**	**14**	**5**	**169**	**30**	**16**	**307**	**123**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Greene	0	4	3	17	0	97	148	0
Hamblen	143	3	1	50	10	11	248	0
Hancock	0	2	0	5	0	6	25	0
Hawkins	46	8	0	5	0	0	113	0
District Total	**189**	**17**	**4**	**77**	**10**	**114**	**534**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Greene	0	22	53	0	0	0	1	2
Hamblen	0	89	28	1	0	0	0	0
Hancock	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hawkins	1	12	15	1	0	0	1	0
District Total	**1**	**126**	**99**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**2**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Greene	1	0	70	149	**421**
Hamblen	0	15	40	173	**497**
Hancock	1	0	5	12	**51**
Hawkins	0	3	24	57	**263**
District Total	**2**	**18**	**139**	**391**	**1232**

3rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Greene	13	21	94	193	4	0	1
Hamblen	13	36	78	281	10	1	1
Hancock	5	3	2	41	2	2	0
Hawkins	7	19	69	133	0	0	2
District Total	**38**	**79**	**243**	**648**	**16**	**3**	**4**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Greene	0	0	39	**365**
Hamblen	0	8	29	**457**
Hancock	1	2	0	**58**
Hawkins	0	3	39	**272**
District Total	**1**	**13**	**107**	**1152**

4th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Cocke	24	0	1	0	9	0	34	35
Grainger	3	3	0	0	2	0	8	7
Jefferson	1	0	0	0	5	1	7	22
Sevier	6	2	1	0	7	1	17	28
District Total	**34**	**5**	**2**	**0**	**23**	**2**	**66**	**92**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Cocke	6	1	6	18	25	5	96	0
Grainger	1	1	2	3	0	8	22	0
Jefferson	11	2	0	23	0	5	63	0
Sevier	7	3	5	23	13	31	110	0
District Total	**25**	**7**	**13**	**67**	**38**	**49**	**291**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Cocke	2	20	6	0	0	16	1	3
Grainger	0	15	4	0	0	0	0	0
Jefferson	0	17	12	0	0	1	0	0
Sevier	0	24	9	0	0	0	0	0
District Total	**2**	**76**	**31**	**0**	**0**	**17**	**1**	**3**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Cocke	1	0	3	52	**182**
Grainger	0	0	5	24	**54**
Jefferson	1	0	12	43	**113**
Sevier	4	0	14	51	**178**
District Total	**6**	**0**	**34**	**170**	**527**

4th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Cocke	9	17	0	120	0	0	0
Grainger	3	2	0	39	0	0	0
Jefferson	2	12	2	97	1	0	0
Sevier	1	14	0	119	0	0	0
District Total	**15**	**45**	**2**	**375**	**1**	**0**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Cocke	0	19	13	**178**
Grainger	0	0	0	**44**
Jefferson	1	1	1	**117**
Sevier	0	0	4	**138**
District Total	**1**	**20**	**18**	**477**

5th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Blount	44	3	7	0	30	8	92	52
District Total	**44**	**3**	**7**	**0**	**30**	**8**	**92**	**52**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Blount	71	3	10	34	25	11	206	0
District Total	**71**	**3**	**10**	**34**	**25**	**11**	**206**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Blount	0	37	48	0	0	0	0	0
District Total	**0**	**37**	**48**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Blount	4	7	85	181	479
District Total	**4**	**7**	**85**	**181**	**479**

5th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Blount	10	21	7	289	4	48	1
District Total	**10**	**21**	**7**	**289**	**4**	**48**	**1**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Blount	16	52	15	463
District Total	**16**	**52**	**15**	**463**

6th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Knox	134	29	9	0	69	0	241	314
District Total	**134**	**29**	**9**	**0**	**69**	**0**	**241**	**314**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Knox	251	26	96	310	80	0	1077	0
District Total	**251**	**26**	**96**	**310**	**80**	**0**	**1077**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Knox	100	291	950	0	15	490	0	0
District Total	**100**	**291**	**950**	**0**	**15**	**490**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Knox	24	74	692	2636	3954
District Total	**24**	**74**	**692**	**2636**	**3954**

6th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Knox	19	63	159	2900	0	515	4
District Total	**19**	**63**	**159**	**2900**	**0**	**515**	**4**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Knox	0	35	436	4131
District Total	**0**	**35**	**436**	**4131**

7th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Anderson	35	7	0	0	18	2	62	23
District Total	**35**	**7**	**0**	**0**	**18**	**2**	**62**	**23**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoin. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Anderson	17	3	4	40	0	10	97	0
District Total	**17**	**3**	**4**	**40**	**0**	**10**	**97**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Anderson	0	31	30	0	0	0	2	0
District Total	**0**	**31**	**30**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Anderson	3	0	45	111	270
District Total	**3**	**0**	**45**	**111**	**270**

7th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Anderson	13	39	29	111	6	1	0
District Total	**13**	**39**	**29**	**111**	**6**	**1**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Anderson	5	33	34	271
District Total	**5**	**33**	**34**	**271**

8th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Campbell	7	6	0	0	4	0	17	37
Claiborne	3	5	1	0	5	0	14	10
Fentress	8	1	0	0	3	4	16	12
Scott	27	3	0	0	3	0	33	15
Union	0	4	0	0	3	0	7	10
District Total	**45**	**19**	**1**	**0**	**18**	**4**	**87**	**84**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Campbell	3	7	0	16	1	2	66	0
Claiborne	2	5	4	6	6	0	33	5
Fentress	4	0	2	12	1	0	31	0
Scott	24	7	0	19	4	0	69	0
Union	2	0	0	15	6	2	35	0
District Total	**35**	**19**	**6**	**68**	**18**	**4**	**234**	**5**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	[illegible]tion
Campbell	0	16	30	0	0	0	0	0
Claiborne	0	10	11	0	0	3	1	0
Fentress	0	7	21	0	0	0	0	0
Scott	1	10	44	0	0	0	0	0
Union	1	7	3	0	0	0	0	0
District Total	**2**	**50**	**109**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**1**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Campbell	0	6	3	55	138
Claiborne	0	4	2	36	83
Fentress	0	4	0	32	79
Scott	1	0	3	59	161
Union	0	1	0	12	54
District Total	**1**	**15**	**8**	**194**	**515**

8th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Campbell	2	1	8	45	1	0	0
Claiborne	0	4	8	28	0	0	0
Fentress	3	1	2	42	2	0	1
Scott	4	8	1	91	3	0	0
Union	1	2	1	22	0	0	0
District Total	**10**	**16**	**20**	**228**	**6**	**0**	**1**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Campbell	5	5	0	67
Claiborne	2	4	0	46
Fentress	3	10	0	64
Scott	0	24	3	134
Union	3	6	0	35
District Total	**13**	**49**	**3**	**346**

9th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Loudon	14	1	2	0	8	0	25	24
Meigs	2	3	0	0	3	0	8	9
Morgan	7	2	0	0	5	4	18	9
Roane	27	6	2	0	15	2	52	54
District Total	**50**	**12**	**4**	**0**	**31**	**6**	**103**	**96**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Loudon	27	3	8	23	10	0	95	0
Meigs	1	1	0	8	0	0	19	0
Morgan	2	2	0	11	0	2	26	0
Roane	45	0	2	15	19	1	136	0
District Total	**75**	**6**	**10**	**57**	**29**	**3**	**276**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Loudon	6	33	24	0	0	5	0	0
Meigs	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0
Morgan	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0
Roane	2	75	11	0	4	2	1	0
District Total	**8**	**109**	**51**	**0**	**4**	**7**	**1**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Loudon	0	1	15	84	**204**
Meigs	0	0	2	8	**35**
Morgan	2	17	16	46	**90**
Roane	5	0	23	123	**311**
District Total	**7**	**18**	**56**	**261**	**640**

9th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Loudon	10	27	6	132	0	0	0
Meigs	5	4	0	19	0	0	0
Morgan	1	9	5	39	0	0	0
Roane	5	37	4	117	0	0	6
District Total	**21**	**77**	**15**	**307**	**0**	**0**	**6**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Loudon	3	20	11	**209**
Meigs	0	0	0	**28**
Morgan	0	4	0	**58**
Roane	12	28	0	**209**
District Total	**15**	**52**	**11**	**504**

10th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Bradley	63	11	0	1	35	10	125	79
McMinn	34	3	3	0	26	12	78	50
Monroe	21	4	0	1	12	1	39	75
Polk	3	2	0	1	3	26	35	22
District Total	**126**	**20**	**3**	**3**	**76**	**49**	**277**	**226**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Bradley	110	16	11	94	18	1	329	0
McMinn	88	13	4	71	24	42	292	0
Monroe	41	4	4	26	6	1	157	0
Polk	0	0	1	35	0	13	71	0
District Total	**239**	**33**	**20**	**226**	**48**	**57**	**849**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Bradley	69	64	189	6	1	9	0	0
McMinn	9	65	106	0	0	0	1	0
Monroe	4	36	20	0	0	5	0	0
Polk	0	15	14	0	0	0	0	0
District Total	**82**	**180**	**329**	**6**	**1**	**14**	**1**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Bradley	6	9	44	397	**851**
McMinn	12	0	218	411	**781**
Monroe	2	1	4	72	**268**
Polk	7	0	20	56	**162**
District Total	**27**	**10**	**286**	**936**	**2062**

10th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Bradley	8	23	45	551	0	4	0
McMinn	4	1	248	314	0	0	0
Monroe	7	5	6	139	1	0	0
Polk	0	6	89	89	0	0	0
District Total	**19**	**35**	**388**	**1093**	**1**	**4**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Bradley	0	8	25	**664**
McMinn	0	30	0	**597**
Monroe	0	0	0	**158**
Polk	0	0	15	**199**
District Total	**0**	**38**	**40**	**1618**

11th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Hamilton	251	47	17	0	73	0	388	475
District Total	**251**	**47**	**17**	**0**	**73**	**0**	**388**	**475**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Hamilton	710	8	104	377	197	13	1884	0
District Total	**710**	**8**	**104**	**377**	**197**	**13**	**1884**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Hamilton	190	644	449	2	1	68	0	8
District Total	**190**	**644**	**449**	**2**	**1**	**68**	**0**	**8**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Hamilton	76	90	500	2028	4300
District Total	**76**	**90**	**500**	**2028**	**4300**

11th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Hamilton	56	63	660	3051	3	41	1
District Total	**56**	**63**	**660**	**3051**	**3**	**41**	**1**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Hamilton	56	3	323	4257
District Total	**56**	**3**	**323**	**4257**

12th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Bledsoe	12	1	0	0	1	1	15	1
Franklin	10	1	0	0	8	1	20	32
Grundy	12	1	1	0	2	0	16	13
Marion	13	2	0	0	1	0	16	1
Rhea	13	4	1	0	4	0	22	19
Sequatchie	12	2	4	0	5	11	34	14
District Total	**72**	**11**	**6**	**0**	**21**	**13**	**123**	**80**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Bledsoe	5	0	2	0	1	1	10	0
Franklin	73	0	1	15	0	12	133	0
Grundy	2	1	0	7	15	0	38	0
Marion	33	7	3	0	29	0	73	0
Rhea	17	3	3	14	9	1	66	0
Sequatchie	3	1	0	2	0	6	26	0
District Total	**133**	**12**	**9**	**38**	**54**	**20**	**346**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Bledsoe	0	9	5	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin	7	11	36	0	0	0	0	0
Grundy	9	53	16	0	0	0	0	0
Marion	16	35	35	0	0	4	0	0
Rhea	1	10	33	0	0	1	0	0
Sequatchie	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0
District Total	**33**	**118**	**136**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Bledsoe	0	4	19	37	82
Franklin	1	0	81	136	289
Grundy	0	0	9	87	141
Marion	3	1	14	108	197
Rhea	1	1	4	51	139
Sequatchie	1	0	7	19	79
District Total	**6**	**6**	**134**	**438**	**907**

12th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Bledsoe	4	1	23	25	1	0	0
Franklin	2	4	2	143	0	0	0
Grundy	2	4	1	80	0	0	0
Marion	1	3	37	88	0	0	0
Rhea	2	13	1	52	0	3	0
Sequatchie	1	3	0	30	0	0	1
District Total	**12**	**28**	**64**	**418**	**1**	**3**	**1**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Bledsoe	1	2	1	**58**
Franklin	0	62	6	**219**
Grundy	0	11	43	**141**
Marion	0	29	0	**158**
Rhea	0	0	6	**77**
Sequatchie	0	0	30	**65**
District Total	**1**	**104**	**86**	**718**

13th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Clay	2	4	0	5	1	1	13	4
Cumberland	17	0	0	0	5	5	27	27
DeKalb	15	1	0	0	3	0	19	13
Overton	6	0	0	0	1	0	7	21
Pickett	2	1	0	7	0	0	10	0
Putnam	24	0	0	0	11	5	40	38
White	8	3	0	0	0	5	16	10
District Total	**74**	**9**	**0**	**12**	**21**	**16**	**132**	**113**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Clay	5	0	2	0	0	0	11	0
Cumberland	25	4	0	22	2	9	89	0
DeKalb	11	1	0	3	0	2	30	0
Overton	11	0	0	4	0	0	36	0
Pickett	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Putnam	28	3	6	38	24	4	141	0
White	4	0	0	9	3	3	29	0
District Total	**84**	**8**	**8**	**76**	**30**	**18**	**337**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Clay	0	2	12	0	0	0	0	0
Cumberland	4	18	44	0	0	0	0	0
DeKalb	13	5	11	0	0	0	0	0
Overton	2	4	43	0	0	0	0	0
Pickett	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0
Putnam	2	56	126	0	0	1	0	0
White	0	2	32	0	0	0	0	0
District Total	**21**	**87**	**273**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. AC[illegible] AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Clay	0	0	0	14	38
Cumberland	1	0	30	97	213
DeKalb	0	0	4	33	82
Overton	1	0	16	66	109
Pickett	1	0	4	10	21
Putnam	4	0	43	232	413
White	0	0	29	63	108
District Total	**7**	**0**	**126**	**515**	**984**

13th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Clay	5	6	10	25	0	0	1
Cumberland	2	15	4	112	0	0	0
DeKalb	6	0	18	52	3	6	1
Overton	0	1	11	37	0	0	0
Pickett	1	4	1	12	0	0	2
Putnam	8	10	49	252	5	0	3
White	1	2	9	49	0	0	1
District Total	**23**	**38**	**102**	**539**	**8**	**6**	**8**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Clay	0	0	0	47
Cumberland	0	41	12	186
DeKalb	0	0	0	86
Overton	0	0	0	49
Pickett	2	4	0	26
Putnam	0	109	5	441
White	0	5	7	74
District Total	**2**	**159**	**24**	**909**

14th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Coffee	8	0	0	0	3	12	23	19
District Total	**8**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**12**	**23**	**19**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Coffee	13	3	2	12	17	17	83	1
District Total	**13**	**3**	**2**	**12**	**17**	**17**	**83**	**1**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Coffee	0	37	37	0	0	0	0	0
District Total	**0**	**37**	**37**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Coffee	0	5	22	102	208
District Total	**0**	**5**	**22**	**102**	**208**

14th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Coffee	5	8	6	186	7	0	0
District Total	**5**	**8**	**6**	**186**	**7**	**0**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Coffee	0	10	11	233
District Total	**0**	**10**	**11**	**233**

15th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Jackson	3	1	0	12	0	0	16	4
Macon	4	0	1	4	0	2	11	11
Smith	8	1	1	9	1	5	25	8
Trousdale	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	1
Wilson	75	1	2	76	20	26	200	44
District Total	**90**	**3**	**4**	**103**	**21**	**34**	**255**	**68**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Jackson	6	2	1	5	1	0	19	0
Macon	22	4	0	8	0	2	47	0
Smith	1	1	0	1	0	21	32	0
Trousdale	7	0	0	2	1	3	14	0
Wilson	73	0	3	37	32	30	219	0
District Total	**109**	**7**	**4**	**53**	**34**	**56**	**331**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Jackson	2	5	12	0	0	1	0	0
Macon	2	13	15	0	0	13	0	0
Smith	0	4	22	0	0	0	0	0
Trousdale	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	0
Wilson	26	25	320	0	0	2	0	0
District Total	**30**	**51**	**372**	**0**	**0**	**16**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Jackson	0	0	10	30	**65**
Macon	3	2	4	52	**110**
Smith	1	0	9	36	**93**
Trousdale	0	0	3	10	**27**
Wilson	9	0	131	513	**932**
District Total	**13**	**2**	**157**	**641**	**1227**

15th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Jackson	1	1	15	29	3	1	0
Macon	3	0	15	62	0	0	1
Smith	1	1	7	47	0	3	10
Trousdale	0	0	1	6	2	0	0
Wilson	0	14	72	526	0	0	0
District Total	**5**	**16**	**110**	**670**	**5**	**4**	**11**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Jackson	0	6	0	**56**
Macon	0	11	17	**109**
Smith	7	0	26	**102**
Trousdale	0	0	0	**9**
Wilson	0	124	114	**850**
District Total	**7**	**141**	**157**	**1126**

16th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Cannon	8	1	0	0	0	0	9	31
Rutherford	93	18	1	0	32	2	146	104
District Total	**101**	**19**	**1**	**0**	**32**	**2**	**155**	**135**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Cannon	2	0	0	0	0	2	35	0
Rutherford	278	16	12	157	39	7	613	1
District Total	**280**	**16**	**12**	**157**	**39**	**9**	**648**	**1**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Cannon	0	3	8	0	0	0	0	0
Rutherford	12	124	248	8	2	36	2	0
District Total	**12**	**127**	**256**	**8**	**2**	**36**	**2**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Cannon	0	0	10	21	65
Rutherford	17	0	101	551	1310
District Total	**17**	**0**	**111**	**572**	**1375**

16th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Cannon	1	4	8	49	0	1	0
Rutherford	2	20	98	976	0	0	3
District Total	**3**	**24**	**106**	**1025**	**0**	**1**	**3**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Cannon	0	0	1	64
Rutherford	0	7	49	1155
District Total	**0**	**7**	**50**	**1219**

17th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT

Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Bedford	14	1	2	0	14	1	32	37
Lincoln	8	0	1	2	6	0	17	50
Marshall	9	2	0	0	2	1	14	25
Moore	1	0	0	0	3	0	4	3
District Total	**32**	**3**	**3**	**2**	**25**	**2**	**67**	**115**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Bedford	137	6	0	45	16	14	255	0
Lincoln	50	3	1	0	4	4	112	0
Marshall	57	0	5	9	0	24	120	0
Moore	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
District Total	**244**	**9**	**6**	**54**	**20**	**42**	**490**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Bedford	2	17	1	0	0	4	0	0
Lincoln	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall	0	5	18	0	0	0	0	0
Moore	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
District Total	**4**	**25**	**22**	**0**	**0**	**4**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Bedford	1	0	55	80	367
Lincoln	7	0	6	19	148
Marshall	1	0	35	59	193
Moore	0	0	1	3	10
District Total	**9**	**0**	**97**	**161**	**718**

17th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Bedford	0	0	3	50	0	93	0
Lincoln	0	0	1	52	1	0	0
Marshall	0	3	46	114	0	6	0
Moore	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
District Total	**0**	**3**	**50**	**224**	**1**	**99**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Bedford	0	0	1	**147**
Lincoln	0	0	63	**117**
Marshall	1	0	16	**186**
Moore	0	0	2	**10**
District Total	**1**	**0**	**82**	**460**

18th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Sumner	33	7	0	0	18	2	60	58
District Total	**33**	**7**	**0**	**0**	**18**	**2**	**60**	**58**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Sumner	58	5	12	62	26	1	222	0
District Total	**58**	**5**	**12**	**62**	**26**	**1**	**222**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Sumner	5	55	59	0	1	2	1	0
District Total	**5**	**55**	**59**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**1**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Sumner	3	1	73	200	482
District Total	**3**	**1**	**73**	**200**	**482**

18th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Sumner	7	41	72	430	9	0	0
District Total	**7**	**41**	**72**	**430**	**9**	**0**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Sumner	0	1	0	560
District Total	**0**	**1**	**0**	**560**

19th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Montgomery	43	5	0	0	27	17	92	49
Robertson	17	5	0	0	7	14	43	24
District Total	**60**	**10**	**0**	**0**	**34**	**31**	**135**	**73**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Montgomery	117	5	11	105	29	57	373	0
Robertson	23	2	4	9	0	14	76	0
District Total	**140**	**7**	**15**	**114**	**29**	**71**	**449**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Montgomery	22	119	240	2	1	8	2	9
Robertson	1	25	19	0	0	0	0	0
District Total	**23**	**144**	**259**	**2**	**1**	**8**	**2**	**9**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Montgomery	10	0	247	660	**1125**
Robertson	1	0	26	72	**191**
District Total	**11**	**0**	**273**	**732**	**1316**

19th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Montgomery	12	28	98	535	0	70	0
Robertson	2	11	7	111	0	0	0
District Total	**14**	**39**	**105**	**646**	**0**	**70**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Montgomery	90	104	203	**1140**
Robertson	0	0	0	**131**
District Total	**90**	**104**	**203**	**1271**

20th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Davidson	197	64	14	2	94	20	391	385
District Total	**197**	**64**	**14**	**2**	**94**	**20**	**391**	**385**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cnclg. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Davidson	276	3	188	351	112	77	1392	0
District Total	**276**	**3**	**188**	**351**	**112**	**77**	**1392**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Davidson	0	210	710	0	1	64	1	1
District Total	**0**	**210**	**710**	**0**	**1**	**64**	**1**	**1**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Davidson	21	3	0	1011	2794
District Total	**21**	**3**	**0**	**1011**	**2794**

20th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Davidson	38	109	106	2303	0	76	10
District Total	**38**	**109**	**106**	**2303**	**0**	**76**	**10**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Davidson	0	76	209	2927
District Total	**0**	**76**	**209**	**2927**

21st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Hickman	22	2	3	0	3	9	39	12
Lewis	6	0	0	0	0	0	6	7
Perry	5	0	0	1	1	0	7	12
Williamson	36	4	1	0	8	3	52	211
District Total	**69**	**6**	**4**	**1**	**12**	**12**	**104**	**242**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Hickman	8	2	6	3	10	3	44	0
Lewis	7	3	0	11	3	3	34	0
Perry	1	5	0	0	8	0	26	0
Williamson	45	2	14	40	15	7	334	0
District Total	**61**	**12**	**20**	**54**	**36**	**13**	**438**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Hickman	1	19	31	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis	1	9	10	0	0	3	0	0
Perry	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Williamson	6	54	61	0	1	1	0	0
District Total	**11**	**82**	**102**	**0**	**1**	**4**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Hickman	1	0	17	69	**152**
Lewis	1	0	4	28	**68**
Perry	0	0	1	4	**37**
Williamson	12	6	31	172	**558**
District Total	**14**	**6**	**53**	**273**	**815**

21st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Hickman	11	8	11	78	0	0	0
Lewis	2	4	2	33	0	0	0
Perry	0	0	0	11	0	0	0
Williamson	4	35	32	339	0	0	0
District Total	**17**	**47**	**45**	**461**	**0**	**0**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Hickman	0	55	6	**169**
Lewis	0	25	0	**66**
Perry	0	1	9	**21**
Williamson	0	59	8	**477**
District Total	**0**	**140**	**23**	**733**

22nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Giles	16	2	0	2	1	3	24	53
Lawrence	26	5	3	0	49	6	89	75
Maury	38	7	4	0	17	7	73	90
Wayne	14	3	0	0	1	3	21	19
District Total	**94**	**17**	**7**	**2**	**68**	**19**	**207**	**237**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Giles	96	1	1	43	15	3	212	0
Lawrence	253	10	4	59	21	3	425	0
Maury	238	24	7	103	32	9	503	0
Wayne	42	6	5	2	13	5	92	0
District Total	**629**	**41**	**17**	**207**	**81**	**20**	**1232**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Giles	4	18	11	0	0	2	0	0
Lawrence	11	28	19	0	0	12	0	0
Maury	18	71	100	2	0	13	0	0
Wayne	15	8	20	2	0	5	0	0
District Total	**48**	**125**	**150**	**4**	**0**	**32**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Giles	1	2	26	64	**300**
Lawrence	0	4	8	82	**596**
Maury	25	14	69	312	**888**
Wayne	5	2	17	74	**187**
District Total	**31**	**22**	**120**	**532**	**1971**

22nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Giles	0	11	20	170	0	2	1
Lawrence	22	27	35	316	1	13	0
Maury	25	53	26	510	0	7	0
Wayne	3	6	23	76	0	0	0
District Total	**50**	**97**	**104**	**1072**	**1**	**22**	**1**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Giles	0	12	12	**228**
Lawrence	0	27	75	**516**
Maury	0	41	9	**671**
Wayne	2	11	0	**121**
District Total	**2**	**91**	**96**	**1536**

23rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Cheatham	29	6	0	0	26	0	61	26
Dickson	98	3	7	5	61	37	211	39
Houston	4	0	0	0	4	1	9	8
Humphreys	26	2	1	0	74	3	106	117
Stewart	29	1	1	0	8	0	39	11
District Total	**186**	**12**	**9**	**5**	**173**	**41**	**426**	**201**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Cheatham	145	10	1	10	16	0	208	0
Dickson	416	55	74	11	9	29	633	2
Houston	4	1	3	4	29	4	53	0
Humphreys	167	13	4	3	25	1	330	0
Stewart	117	9	2	48	7	2	196	0
District Total	**849**	**88**	**84**	**76**	**86**	**36**	**1420**	**2**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Cheatham	1	21	34	0	1	54	1	0
Dickson	27	65	116	0	0	21	1	0
Houston	2	45	4	0	0	0	0	0
Humphreys	86	54	51	0	0	13	1	0
Stewart	0	16	14	0	1	6	0	0
District Total	**116**	**201**	**219**	**0**	**2**	**94**	**3**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Cheatham	10	3	4	129	**398**
Dickson	13	5	117	367	**1211**
Houston	1	1	15	68	**130**
Humphreys	4	1	0	210	**646**
Stewart	4	2	17	60	**295**
District Total	**32**	**12**	**153**	**834**	**2680**

23rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Cheatham	9	6	8	88	1	0	0
Dickson	3	38	174	638	4	13	0
Houston	3	6	3	42	1	0	0
Humphreys	1	1	10	156	0	0	0
Stewart	0	3	12	102	1	0	0
District Total	**16**	**54**	**207**	**1026**	**7**	**13**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Cheatham	31	69	8	**220**
Dickson	4	47	100	**1021**
Houston	3	12	31	**101**
Humphreys	4	8	66	**246**
Stewart	0	59	14	**191**
District Total	**42**	**195**	**219**	**1779**

24th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT

Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Benton	3	1	0	0	5	3	12	13
Carroll	4	1	0	0	5	0	10	14
Decatur	3	0	0	0	1	0	4	9
Hardin	8	4	1	0	3	0	16	6
Henry	8	1	0	1	2	1	13	6
District Total	**26**	**7**	**1**	**1**	**16**	**4**	**55**	**48**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Benton	7	2	0	0	6	1	29	0
Carroll	10	4	1	25	15	0	69	0
Decatur	15	0	3	12	0	2	41	0
Hardin	13	1	2	11	4	2	39	2
Henry	21	2	0	17	3	7	56	0
District Total	**66**	**9**	**6**	**65**	**28**	**12**	**234**	**2**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Benton	1	8	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carroll	0	9	14	0	0	0	0	0
Decatur	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hardin	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
Henry	1	8	6	0	0	5	0	0
District Total	**2**	**31**	**27**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Benton	1	0	8	20	**61**
Carroll	0	0	5	28	**107**
Decatur	0	0	5	11	**56**
Hardin	0	0	15	22	**77**
Henry	0	1	7	28	**97**
District Total	**1**	**1**	**40**	**109**	**398**

24th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Benton	5	2	6	40	0	0	0
Carroll	3	10	1	63	1	0	0
Decatur	1	3	8	21	0	0	0
Hardin	6	4	8	36	0	0	0
Henry	9	6	14	48	0	0	0
District Total	**24**	**25**	**37**	**208**	**1**	**0**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Benton	0	0	0	**53**
Carroll	0	16	2	**96**
Decatur	0	0	0	**33**
Hardin	0	3	2	**59**
Henry	10	11	8	**106**
District Total	**10**	**30**	**12**	**347**

25th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Fayette	15	2	0	0	7	1	25	28
Hardeman	7	2	0	0	8	0	17	18
Lauderdale	6	1	1	0	7	1	16	16
McNairy	8	2	0	0	4	3	17	9
Tipton	7	1	0	0	5	0	13	31
District Total	**43**	**8**	**1**	**0**	**31**	**5**	**88**	**102**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Fayette	11	1	9	23	0	1	73	0
Hardeman	6	3	0	23	0	4	54	0
Lauderdale	0	3	1	3	4	11	38	0
McNairy	3	3	1	5	0	9	30	0
Tipton	5	0	7	9	8	0	60	0
District Total	**25**	**10**	**18**	**63**	**12**	**25**	**255**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Fayette	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hardeman	0	2	22	0	0	0	0	0
Lauderdale	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0
McNairy	1	4	12	0	0	0	0	0
Tipton	0	13	0	0	0	1	0	0
District Total	**2**	**21**	**46**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Fayette	0	0	9	15	**113**
Hardeman	0	0	2	26	**97**
Lauderdale	0	0	16	25	**79**
McNairy	0	0	7	24	**71**
Tipton	0	0	0	14	**87**
District Total	**0**	**0**	**34**	**104**	**447**

25th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Fayette	1	5	17	82	0	0	0
Hardeman	0	8	4	45	0	0	0
Lauderdale	1	8	10	58	0	0	0
McNairy	5	1	12	44	1	0	0
Tipton	1	2	3	79	0	0	0
District Total	**8**	**24**	**46**	**308**	**1**	**0**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Fayette	0	0	0	**105**
Hardeman	2	1	0	**60**
Lauderdale	0	0	2	**79**
McNairy	2	0	1	**66**
Tipton	2	1	0	**88**
District Total	**6**	**2**	**3**	**398**

26th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Chester	4	1	0	0	5	1	11	23
Henderson	8	2	2	1	4	0	17	24
Madison	64	10	5	1	41	2	123	192
District Total	**76**	**13**	**7**	**2**	**50**	**3**	**151**	**239**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Chester	1	0	0	0	0	1	25	0
Henderson	14	4	0	0	6	0	48	0
Madison	292	14	36	111	49	4	698	0
District Total	**307**	**18**	**36**	**111**	**55**	**5**	**771**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Chester	0	12	7	0	0	0	0	0
Henderson	1	59	68	0	0	0	0	0
Madison	5	211	112	0	1	50	0	0
District Total	**6**	**282**	**187**	**0**	**1**	**50**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Chester	0	0	3	22	**58**
Henderson	1	0	2	131	**196**
Madison	3	0	12	394	**1215**
District Total	**4**	**0**	**17**	**547**	**1469**

26th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Chester	1	0	1	42	0	0	0
Henderson	5	4	1	113	0	0	0
Madison	25	42	60	627	9	0	1
District Total	**31**	**46**	**62**	**782**	**9**	**0**	**1**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Chester	1	0	1	**46**
Henderson	11	7	1	**142**
Madison	13	214	9	**1000**
District Total	**25**	**221**	**11**	**1188**

27th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Obion	13	0	1	0	37	1	52	73
Weakley	5	3	1	1	4	2	16	36
District Total	**18**	**3**	**2**	**1**	**41**	**3**	**68**	**109**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cnclg. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Obion	68	6	2	43	12	26	230	0
Weakley	38	0	1	23	2	7	107	0
District Total	**106**	**6**	**3**	**66**	**14**	**33**	**337**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Obion	0	25	22	0	0	0	0	0
Weakley	0	12	3	0	0	1	0	0
District Total	**0**	**37**	**25**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Obion	1	0	6	54	336
Weakley	0	2	0	18	141
District Total	**1**	**2**	**6**	**72**	**477**

27th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Obion	5	7	1	169	7	0	0
Weakley	2	4	13	126	1	0	0
District Total	**7**	**11**	**14**	**295**	**8**	**0**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Obion	1	37	15	242
Weakley	0	4	0	150
District Total	**1**	**41**	**15**	**392**

28th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Crockett	11	1	0	0	7	0	19	11
Gibson	25	3	1	21	9	2	61	21
Haywood	9	2	2	19	8	2	42	3
District Total	**45**	**6**	**3**	**40**	**24**	**4**	**122**	**35**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Crockett	21	3	3	28	0	0	66	0
Gibson	55	2	8	33	3	1	123	0
Haywood	11	1	1	18	0	3	37	0
District Total	**87**	**6**	**12**	**79**	**3**	**4**	**226**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Crockett	1	7	1	0	0	1	0	0
Gibson	12	31	28	0	0	4	0	0
Haywood	2	2	9	0	0	1	0	0
District Total	**15**	**40**	**38**	**0**	**0**	**6**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Crockett	0	2	2	14	**99**
Gibson	0	25	19	119	**303**
Haywood	0	0	10	24	**103**
District Total	**0**	**27**	**31**	**157**	**505**

28th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Crockett	1	11	5	69	0	0	1
Gibson	3	16	45	155	0	10	0
Haywood	3	8	14	53	0	0	2
District Total	**7**	**35**	**64**	**277**	**0**	**10**	**3**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Crockett	0	11	2	**100**
Gibson	4	38	48	**319**
Haywood	0	3	3	**86**
District Total	**4**	**52**	**53**	**505**

29th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Dyer	26	7	4	1	20	5	63	26
Lake	9	1	0	0	2	0	12	21
District Total	**35**	**8**	**4**	**1**	**22**	**5**	**75**	**47**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Dyer	122	12	3	10	89	4	266	1
Lake	7	0	0	7	0	0	35	0
District Total	**129**	**12**	**3**	**17**	**89**	**4**	**301**	**1**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Dyer	1	143	49	6	0	0	0	1
Lake	0	3	1	0	0	1	0	0
District Total	**1**	**146**	**50**	**6**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**1**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Dyer	3	0	10	214	**543**
Lake	2	0	7	14	**61**
District Total	**5**	**0**	**17**	**228**	**604**

29th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Dyer	11	22	5	407	0	0	0
Lake	1	5	8	46	0	1	0
District Total	**12**	**27**	**13**	**453**	**0**	**1**	**0**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Dyer	36	58	30	**569**
Lake	0	1	2	**64**
District Total	**36**	**59**	**32**	**633**

30th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Shelby	888	156	39	1	206	9	1299	1004
District Total	**888**	**156**	**39**	**1**	**206**	**9**	**1299**	**1004**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Shelby	875	61	757	1209	391	3	4300	7
District Total	**875**	**61**	**757**	**1209**	**391**	**3**	**4300**	**7**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Shelby	15	861	514	1	31	98	1	35
District Total	**15**	**861**	**514**	**1**	**31**	**98**	**1**	**35**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Shelby	270	1	419	2253	7852
District Total	**270**	**1**	**419**	**2253**	**7852**

30th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Shelby	67	159	129	6307	2	118	12
District Total	**67**	**159**	**129**	**6307**	**2**	**118**	**12**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Shelby	2	734	46	7576
District Total	**2**	**734**	**46**	**7576**

31st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Filings

County	Assault	Homicide	Kidnapping	Non-Support	Sexual Offense	Oth. Acts Against Person	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PERSON	Burglary
Van Buren	6	0	0	0	1	0	7	1
Warren	8	2	1	0	6	2	19	7
District Total	**14**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**7**	**2**	**26**	**8**

County	Fraud	Property Destruction	Robbery	Theft	Receiving Cncig. Stoln. Prop.	Oth. Acts Against Property	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PROPERTY	Bribery
Van Buren	2	1	0	1	0	0	5	0
Warren	15	0	1	1	10	4	38	0
District Total	**17**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**10**	**4**	**43**	**0**

County	Disorderly Conduct	Drugs	DWI	Gambling	Obscenity	Obstructing Justice	Perjury	Prostitution
Van Buren	0	0	8	0	0	1	0	0
Warren	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0
District Total	**0**	**4**	**16**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**

County	Weapons Possession Resale	Special Remedy	Oth. Acts Against Public	TOT. ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Van Buren	0	0	2	11	23
Warren	1	0	4	17	74
District Total	**1**	**0**	**6**	**28**	**97**

31th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT
Dispositions

County	Acquittal	Convicted After Trial	Dismissal	Guilty Plea	Remanded To General Sessions	Special Remedy Relief	Transferred To Another Court
Van Buren	1	4	1	9	1	0	0
Warren	2	0	0	98	0	0	1
District Total	**3**	**4**	**1**	**107**	**1**	**0**	**1**

County	Defendant Not Apprehended	Nolle Prosequi	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Van Buren	0	1	0	17
Warren	0	10	4	115
District Total	**0**	**11**	**4**	**132**

Chancery Court Statistics

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1st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Carter	17	317	20	0	5	359	15
Johnson	11	70	8	0	0	89	6
Unicoi	6	66	25	0	6	103	4
Washington	30	551	151	0	33	765	62
District Total	**64**	**1004**	**204**	**0**	**44**	**1316**	**87**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Carter	3	21	32	143	0	0	49
Johnson	0	14	5	49	1	0	0
Unicoi	2	12	8	11	0	1	0
Washington	6	29	74	32	3	1	1
District Total	**11**	**76**	**119**	**235**	**4**	**2**	**50**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Carter	0	0	3	0	26	292	**651**
Johnson	0	0	0	1	3	79	**168**
Unicoi	0	0	2	0	3	43	**146**
Washington	0	22	5	4	27	266	**1031**
District Total	**0**	**22**	**10**	**5**	**59**	**680**	**1996**

1st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Carter	20	37	0	106	252	41	12
Johnson	8	1	4	17	58	26	4
Unicoi	4	1	1	28	62	15	19
Washington	26	21	4	219	455	34	76
District Total	**58**	**60**	**9**	**370**	**827**	**116**	**111**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Carter	36	0	1	96	0	10	**611**
Johnson	3	0	1	35	0	3	**160**
Unicoi	21	0	1	8	2	1	**163**
Washington	113	4	1	28	3	21	**1005**
District Total	**173**	**4**	**4**	**167**	**5**	**35**	**1939**

2nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Sullivan	47	791	134	0	6	978	115
District Total	**47**	**791**	**134**	**0**	**6**	**978**	**115**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Sullivan	17	36	147	645	4	0	15
District Total	**17**	**36**	**147**	**645**	**4**	**0**	**15**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Sullivan	0	14	3	1	60	1057	**2035**
District Total	**0**	**14**	**3**	**1**	**60**	**1057**	**2035**

2nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Sullivan	37	31	13	343	594	55	62
District Total	**37**	**31**	**13**	**343**	**594**	**55**	**62**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Sullivan	187	0	0	499	8	15	**1844**
District Total	**187**	**0**	**0**	**499**	**8**	**15**	**1844**

3rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Greene	17	274	65	0	11	367	25
Hamblen	18	242	90	0	0	350	71
Hancock	0	39	4	0	1	44	3
Hawkins	12	201	112	0	4	329	20
District Total	**47**	**756**	**271**	**0**	**16**	**1090**	**119**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Greene	5	23	13	213	0	0	1
Hamblen	4	18	49	13	1	0	0
Hancock	1	8	2	39	0	0	1
Hawkins	2	6	13	177	1	0	0
District Total	**12**	**57**	**77**	**442**	**2**	**0**	**2**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Greene	0	7	1	0	14	302	**669**
Hamblen	0	2	2	0	40	200	**550**
Hancock	0	0	1	0	1	56	**100**
Hawkins	0	0	0	0	40	261	**590**
District Total	**0**	**9**	**4**	**0**	**95**	**819**	**1909**

3rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Greene	19	0	3	97	231	83	40
Hamblen	16	0	0	107	182	131	92
Hancock	0	1	2	11	25	10	1
Hawkins	14	0	2	87	169	67	83
District Total	**49**	**1**	**7**	**302**	**607**	**291**	**216**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Greene	2	0	0	119	0	5	**599**
Hamblen	2	0	0	1	2	1	**534**
Hancock	3	1	0	33	0	3	**90**
Hawkins	11	0	0	152	0	2	**587**
District Total	**18**	**1**	**0**	**305**	**2**	**11**	**1810**

4th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Cocke	10	178	0	0	4	192	47
Grainger	5	38	27	0	0	70	13
Jefferson	11	180	30	0	3	224	25
Sevier	19	309	122	1	5	456	178
District Total	**45**	**705**	**179**	**1**	**12**	**942**	**263**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Cocke	1	26	4	143	0	0	1
Grainger	2	15	4	42	0	0	0
Jefferson	3	17	8	7	0	0	28
Sevier	8	52	10	11	6	3	1
District Total	**14**	**110**	**26**	**203**	**6**	**3**	**30**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Cocke	0	0	0	0	1	223	**415**
Grainger	0	0	1	0	1	78	**148**
Jefferson	0	0	3	1	13	105	**329**
Sevier	0	0	2	0	10	281	**737**
District Total	**0**	**0**	**6**	**1**	**25**	**687**	**1629**

4th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Cocke	10	0	4	60	132	36	0
Grainger	4	0	1	22	28	13	10
Jefferson	9	1	0	55	140	44	38
Sevier	16	0	45	241	234	73	52
District Total	**39**	**1**	**50**	**378**	**534**	**166**	**100**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Cocke	6	0	1	112	1	17	**379**
Grainger	18	1	0	20	1	0	**118**
Jefferson	15	0	2	5	3	2	**314**
Sevier	101	0	0	3	4	0	**769**
District Total	**140**	**1**	**3**	**140**	**9**	**19**	**1580**

5th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Blount	1	27	20	0	0	48	30
District Total	**1**	**27**	**20**	**0**	**0**	**48**	**30**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Blount	6	10	15	1	0	0	10
District Total	**6**	**10**	**15**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**10**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Blount	0	8	0	0	1	81	129
District Total	**0**	**8**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**81**	**129**

5th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Blount	1	0	5	47	17	17	16
District Total	**1**	**0**	**5**	**47**	**17**	**17**	**16**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Blount	5	0	1	0	1	4	114
District Total	**5**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**4**	**114**

6th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Knox	123	837	426	0	12	1398	676
District Total	**123**	**837**	**426**	**0**	**12**	**1398**	**676**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Knox	0	72	801	1591	10	2	0
District Total	**0**	**72**	**801**	**1591**	**10**	**2**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Knox	238	0	3	0	696	4089	5487
District Total	**238**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**696**	**4089**	**5487**

6th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Knox	108	8	75	1072	613	752	482
District Total	**108**	**8**	**75**	**1072**	**613**	**752**	**482**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Knox	465	3	2	1041	23	177	4821
District Total	**465**	**3**	**2**	**1041**	**23**	**177**	**4821**

7th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Anderson	29	492	155	116	20	812	58
District Total	**29**	**492**	**155**	**116**	**20**	**812**	**58**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Anderson	8	16	19	283	0	0	0
District Total	**8**	**16**	**19**	**283**	**0**	**0**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Anderson	21	6	8	0	53	472	1284
District Total	**21**	**6**	**8**	**0**	**53**	**472**	**1284**

7th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Anderson	28	0	0	206	368	158	22
District Total	**28**	**0**	**0**	**206**	**368**	**158**	**22**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Anderson	68	1	0	195	49	6	1101
District Total	**68**	**1**	**0**	**195**	**49**	**6**	**1101**

8th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Campbell	8	18	7	0	1	34	61
Claiborne	11	249	0	0	0	260	42
Fentress	3	18	2	0	2	25	27
Scott	3	33	3	0	1	40	23
Union	2	84	12	0	3	101	4
District Total	**27**	**402**	**24**	**0**	**7**	**460**	**157**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Campbell	2	9	40	111	2	1	0
Claiborne	3	29	16	87	4	0	0
Fentress	3	10	22	60	1	0	0
Scott	2	16	29	2	4	0	0
Union	3	17	5	44	0	0	0
District Total	**13**	**81**	**112**	**304**	**11**	**1**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Campbell	0	0	1	0	5	232	**266**
Claiborne	4	15	3	1	0	204	**464**
Fentress	0	0	0	0	6	129	**154**
Scott	0	0	3	0	0	79	**119**
Union	0	0	1	0	2	76	**177**
District Total	**4**	**15**	**8**	**1**	**13**	**720**	**1180**

8th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Campbell	6	1	6	31	7	24	6
Claiborne	7	1	15	40	179	33	0
Fentress	0	0	1	22	10	31	0
Scott	1	0	5	21	20	42	0
Union	2	0	1	11	64	7	4
District Total	**16**	**2**	**28**	**125**	**280**	**137**	**10**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Campbell	17	2	0	58	0	1	**159**
Claiborne	14	16	2	23	0	0	**330**
Fentress	1	0	0	29	1	4	**99**
Scott	5	0	0	0	0	0	**94**
Union	4	0	0	16	0	2	**111**
District Total	**41**	**18**	**2**	**126**	**1**	**7**	**793**

9th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Loudon	12	71	12	0	0	95	1
Meigs	8	53	8	0	0	69	12
Morgan	7	134	13	0	1	155	11
Roane	18	33	3	0	1	55	25
District Total	**45**	**291**	**36**	**0**	**2**	**374**	**49**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Loudon	0	1	20	9	0	0	5
Meigs	2	9	4	3	0	0	0
Morgan	8	13	3	47	0	0	16
Roane	1	28	14	7	6	0	3
District Total	**11**	**51**	**41**	**66**	**6**	**0**	**24**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Loudon	1	45	3	0	1	86	**181**
Meigs	0	0	3	0	0	33	**102**
Morgan	0	2	2	0	2	104	**259**
Roane	0	7	5	1	25	122	**177**
District Total	**1**	**54**	**13**	**1**	**28**	**345**	**719**

9th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decrme	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Loudon	13	1	0	41	53	20	12
Meigs	5	0	2	39	31	4	19
Morgan	7	4	1	75	102	23	11
Roane	14	0	5	49	21	67	5
District Total	**39**	**5**	**8**	**204**	**207**	**114**	**47**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Loudon	31	14	0	1	0	3	**189**
Meigs	2	0	1	0	0	0	**103**
Morgan	9	0	4	32	2	4	**274**
Roane	8	0	0	0	8	8	**185**
District Total	**50**	**14**	**5**	**33**	**10**	**15**	**751**

10th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Bradley	9	42	8	0	2	61	69
McMinn	9	130	83	0	0	222	28
Monroe	5	115	86	0	2	208	15
Polk	1	31	11	0	0	43	7
District Total	**24**	**318**	**188**	**0**	**4**	**534**	**119**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Bradley	0	23	97	191	0	0	1
McMinn	1	5	44	25	0	0	52
Monroe	3	15	35	10	0	1	27
Polk	1	5	5	37	2	0	12
District Total	**5**	**48**	**181**	**263**	**2**	**1**	**92**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Bradley	0	3	1	0	25	410	**471**
McMinn	0	0	12	0	29	196	**418**
Monroe	0	13	1	0	16	136	**344**
Polk	0	2	4	0	6	81	**124**
District Total	**0**	**18**	**18**	**0**	**76**	**823**	**1357**

10th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Bradley	14	1	13	77	24	86	3
McMinn	5	1	0	77	97	45	125
Monroe	5	10	0	41	79	72	86
Polk	0	12	8	17	27	15	13
District Total	**24**	**24**	**21**	**212**	**227**	**218**	**227**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Bradley	92	0	0	127	0	0	**437**
McMinn	3	0	0	19	5	28	**405**
Monroe	9	1	1	3	0	13	**320**
Polk	3	0	0	36	0	2	**133**
District Total	**107**	**1**	**1**	**185**	**5**	**43**	**1295**

11th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Hamilton	76	568	71	1	9	725	409
District Total	**76**	**568**	**71**	**1**	**9**	**725**	**409**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Hamilton	64	68	237	673	18	1	75
District Total	**64**	**68**	**237**	**673**	**18**	**1**	**75**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Hamilton	122	5	3	4	137	1816	2541
District Total	**122**	**5**	**3**	**4**	**137**	**1816**	**2541**

11th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Hamilton	76	9	44	616	396	265	95
District Total	**76**	**9**	**44**	**616**	**396**	**265**	**95**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Hamilton	191	15	5	723	22	16	2473
District Total	**191**	**15**	**5**	**723**	**22**	**16**	**2473**

12th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Bledsoe	5	3	2	0	1	11	11
Franklin	5	175	78	0	3	261	28
Grundy	1	21	1	0	0	23	18
Marion	0	6	0	0	0	6	22
Rhea	5	8	0	0	0	13	21
Sequatchie	1	1	2	0	0	4	9
District Total	**17**	**214**	**83**	**0**	**4**	**318**	**109**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Bledsoe	1	7	11	27	0	0	0
Franklin	0	17	53	2	0	0	0
Grundy	0	12	15	38	0	0	0
Marion	0	13	18	73	0	0	0
Rhea	0	16	17	26	0	0	0
Sequatchie	0	4	6	17	0	0	0
District Total	**1**	**69**	**120**	**183**	**0**	**0**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Bledsoe	0	0	1	0	2	60	71
Franklin	3	17	4	0	0	124	385
Grundy	0	0	1	0	6	90	113
Marion	0	0	1	0	16	143	149
Rhea	0	0	0	0	14	94	107
Sequatchie	0	0	1	0	7	44	48
District Total	**3**	**17**	**8**	**0**	**45**	**555**	**873**

12th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Bledsoe	4	0	0	6	0	21	0
Franklin	7	0	7	118	121	10	54
Grundy	1	0	1	21	17	25	0
Marion	0	0	4	13	2	23	3
Rhea	4	0	0	15	5	28	5
Sequatchie	0	0	1	5	0	10	0
District Total	**16**	**0**	**13**	**178**	**145**	**117**	**62**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Bledsoe	7	0	0	9	1	1	**49**
Franklin	61	15	0	4	2	1	**400**
Grundy	8	0	0	14	1	2	**90**
Marion	27	0	5	66	3	1	**147**
Rhea	0	0	0	17	2	2	**78**
Sequatchie	5	0	0	9	2	0	**32**
District Total	**108**	**15**	**5**	**119**	**11**	**7**	**796**

13th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT

Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Clay	2	33	3	0	1	39	8
Cumberland	1	6	0	0	1	8	122
DeKalb	7	100	2	0	4	113	8
Overton	5	55	15	0	3	78	11
Pickett	1	17	4	0	1	23	3
Putnam	14	378	88	0	17	497	34
White	5	46	10	1	0	62	27
District Total	**35**	**635**	**122**	**1**	**27**	**820**	**213**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Clay	0	1	2	33	0	0	0
Cumberland	0	7	13	2	0	0	0
DeKalb	3	16	10	62	0	0	0
Overton	3	10	23	2	0	0	0
Pickett	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
Putnam	3	17	66	14	0	0	16
White	0	4	19	7	1	0	0
District Total	**9**	**56**	**134**	**120**	**1**	**0**	**18**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Clay	0	0	0	0	5	49	**88**
Cumberland	0	1	1	0	0	146	**154**
DeKalb	0	0	1	0	4	104	**217**
Overton	0	0	2	0	0	51	**129**
Pickett	0	0	0	0	2	9	**32**
Putnam	0	13	2	0	15	180	**677**
White	0	1	2	2	0	63	**125**
District Total	**0**	**15**	**8**	**2**	**26**	**602**	**1422**

13th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Clay	0	0	1	8	20	6	0
Cumberland	0	0	19	58	6	52	1
DeKalb	7	1	3	43	74	8	1
Overton	2	0	4	19	37	23	13
Pickett	2	3	0	12	8	0	0
Putnam	10	2	1	160	318	85	72
White	6	3	10	37	26	1	22
District Total	**27**	**9**	**38**	**337**	**489**	**175**	**109**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Clay	5	0	1	23	0	0	**64**
Cumberland	34	0	0	0	3	0	**173**
DeKalb	12	0	0	68	1	2	**220**
Overton	7	0	0	1	0	1	**107**
Pickett	1	0	0	0	0	2	**28**
Putnam	0	2	0	15	2	26	**693**
White	17	1	0	1	0	0	**124**
District Total	**76**	**3**	**1**	**108**	**6**	**31**	**1409**

14th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Coffee	13	111	50	0	7	181	54
District Total	**13**	**111**	**50**	**0**	**7**	**181**	**54**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Coffee	4	19	84	108	0	0	7
District Total	**4**	**19**	**84**	**108**	**0**	**0**	**7**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Coffee	0	0	2	0	23	301	482
District Total	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**23**	**301**	**482**

14th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Coffee	9	19	5	73	88	118	48
District Total	**9**	**19**	**5**	**73**	**88**	**118**	**48**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Coffee	23	0	1	95	4	6	489
District Total	**23**	**0**	**1**	**95**	**4**	**6**	**489**

15th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT

Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Jackson	1	6	3	0	0	10	1
Macon	0	25	13	0	2	40	11
Smith	3	44	20	0	0	67	10
Trousdale	3	17	0	0	0	20	4
Wilson	10	197	155	0	6	368	51
District Total	**17**	**289**	**191**	**0**	**8**	**505**	**77**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Jackson	0	11	6	1	0	0	0
Macon	3	3	1	4	2	1	0
Smith	1	7	14	59	0	0	21
Trousdale	0	1	1	27	0	0	3
Wilson	4	32	12	17	0	0	0
District Total	**8**	**54**	**34**	**108**	**2**	**1**	**24**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Jackson	0	0	2	0	1	22	**32**
Macon	0	0	1	0	2	28	**68**
Smith	0	0	4	0	6	122	**189**
Trousdale	0	0	1	2	3	42	**62**
Wilson	0	0	1	0	19	136	**504**
District Total	**0**	**0**	**9**	**2**	**31**	**350**	**855**

15th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT

Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Jackson	1	0	0	4	4	12	2
Macon	0	0	0	20	9	12	5
Smith	1	9	0	29	35	4	25
Trousdale	1	2	1	3	17	2	1
Wilson	9	58	2	103	178	80	36
District Total	**12**	**69**	**3**	**159**	**243**	**110**	**69**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Jackson	1	0	0	0	0	1	**25**
Macon	8	0	0	0	1	0	**55**
Smith	0	0	0	37	0	28	**168**
Trousdale	1	0	0	27	0	1	**56**
Wilson	12	0	1	0	3	14	**496**
District Total	**22**	**0**	**1**	**64**	**4**	**44**	**800**

16th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Cannon	3	47	1	0	0	51	12
Rutherford	27	225	56	0	34	342	85
District Total	**30**	**272**	**57**	**0**	**34**	**393**	**97**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Cannon	2	9	0	22	0	0	0
Rutherford	27	33	52	37	3	1	0
District Total	**29**	**42**	**52**	**59**	**3**	**1**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Cannon	0	0	1	0	6	52	**103**
Rutherford	61	10	14	0	12	335	**677**
District Total	**61**	**10**	**15**	**0**	**18**	**387**	**780**

16th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Cannon	2	0	1	30	29	10	0
Rutherford	25	0	10	153	156	78	57
District Total	**27**	**0**	**11**	**183**	**185**	**88**	**57**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Cannon	4	0	0	21	0	5	**102**
Rutherford	45	1	2	8	2	30	**567**
District Total	**49**	**1**	**2**	**29**	**2**	**35**	**669**

17th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Bedford	16	266	55	0	1	338	53
Lincoln	7	122	28	0	1	158	49
Marshall	7	189	0	0	1	197	6
Moore	0	29	1	0	0	30	3
District Total	**30**	**606**	**84**	**0**	**3**	**723**	**111**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Bedford	3	16	69	102	0	1	60
Lincoln	1	5	18	85	0	0	0
Marshall	1	10	21	4	1	0	0
Moore	1	6	7	11	0	0	0
District Total	**6**	**37**	**115**	**202**	**1**	**1**	**60**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Bedford	0	0	2	0	15	321	659
Lincoln	0	0	2	0	20	180	338
Marshall	0	0	1	1	3	48	245
Moore	0	0	0	0	0	28	58
District Total	**0**	**0**	**5**	**1**	**38**	**577**	**1300**

17th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Bedford	17	0	2	156	203	193	4
Lincoln	7	1	11	74	92	5	17
Marshall	11	0	24	36	128	0	1
Moore	0	0	4	10	15	1	3
District Total	**35**	**1**	**41**	**276**	**438**	**199**	**25**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Bedford	4	0	0	134	0	0	713
Lincoln	9	0	0	92	0	35	343
Marshall	33	0	0	1	0	9	243
Moore	1	0	0	18	0	0	52
District Total	**47**	**0**	**0**	**245**	**0**	**44**	**1351**

18th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Sumner	10	91	74	0	1	176	112
District Total	**10**	**91**	**74**	**0**	**1**	**176**	**112**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Sumner	2	47	13	7	1	0	0
District Total	**2**	**47**	**13**	**7**	**1**	**0**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Sumner	0	38	1	0	0	221	397
District Total	**0**	**38**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**221**	**397**

18th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Sumner	4	0	13	50	41	111	4
District Total	**4**	**0**	**13**	**50**	**41**	**111**	**4**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Sumner	42	1	1	1	4	1	273
District Total	**42**	**1**	**1**	**1**	**4**	**1**	**273**

19th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Montgomery	75	979	59	0	103	1216	27
Robertson	9	4	0	0	2	15	25
District Total	**84**	**983**	**59**	**0**	**105**	**1231**	**52**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Montgomery	2	27	86	258	0	1	41
Robertson	3	18	8	142	0	0	0
District Total	**5**	**45**	**94**	**400**	**0**	**1**	**41**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	31	473	1689
Robertson	0	0	1	2	11	210	225
District Total	**0**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**42**	**683**	**1914**

19th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Montgomery	68	25	0	71	774	10	36
Robertson	6	0	2	21	6	26	0
District Total	**74**	**25**	**2**	**92**	**780**	**36**	**36**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Montgomery	42	0	0	135	3	67	1231
Robertson	7	0	0	93	1	2	164
District Total	**49**	**0**	**0**	**228**	**4**	**69**	**1395**

20th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Davidson	0	0	1	0	0	1	1246
District Total	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**1246**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Davidson	86	355	650	24	126	1	0
District Total	**86**	**355**	**650**	**24**	**126**	**1**	**0**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Davidson	3	1	75	13	323	2903	**2904**
District Total	**3**	**1**	**75**	**13**	**323**	**2903**	**2904**

20th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Davidson	0	0	252	727	0	276	2
District Total	**0**	**0**	**252**	**727**	**0**	**276**	**2**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Davidson	1086	0	150	9	38	81	**2621**
District Total	**1086**	**0**	**150**	**9**	**38**	**81**	**2621**

21st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Hickman	3	46	10	0	0	59	5
Lewis	3	43	7	0	1	54	7
Perry	0	30	6	0	3	39	7
Williamson	36	270	67	0	23	396	108
District Total	**42**	**389**	**90**	**0**	**27**	**548**	**127**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Hickman	2	13	8	49	1	0	0
Lewis	5	2	2	23	0	0	0
Perry	2	9	3	34	0	0	1
Williamson	8	39	19	272	4	2	1
District Total	**17**	**63**	**32**	**378**	**5**	**2**	**2**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Hickman	0	0	1	0	14	93	**152**
Lewis	0	0	2	0	1	42	**96**
Perry	0	0	0	0	3	59	**98**
Williamson	0	23	1	4	26	507	**903**
District Total	**0**	**23**	**4**	**4**	**44**	**701**	**1249**

21st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Hickman	4	0	0	23	36	23	9
Lewis	4	0	3	19	19	4	3
Perry	1	0	0	22	23	15	5
Williamson	27	1	17	171	202	78	53
District Total	**36**	**1**	**20**	**235**	**280**	**120**	**70**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Hickman	6	1	0	37	0	0	**139**
Lewis	3	0	0	19	0	0	**74**
Perry	9	0	1	26	0	0	**102**
Williamson	29	2	1	212	15	15	**823**
District Total	**47**	**3**	**2**	**294**	**15**	**15**	**1138**

22nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Giles	10	186	83	0	2	281	28
Lawrence	9	244	18	0	23	294	44
Maury	15	410	390	1	55	871	34
Wayne	7	97	27	0	5	136	20
District Total	**41**	**937**	**518**	**1**	**85**	**1582**	**126**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Giles	4	10	16	5	0	0	0
Lawrence	5	6	6	9	2	0	47
Maury	5	41	24	218	0	0	1
Wayne	3	4	5	45	0	0	0
District Total	**17**	**61**	**51**	**277**	**2**	**0**	**48**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Giles	0	0	2	1	12	78	**359**
Lawrence	0	1	0	0	7	127	**421**
Maury	0	0	3	0	10	336	**1207**
Wayne	0	0	2	0	5	84	**220**
District Total	**0**	**1**	**7**	**1**	**34**	**625**	**2207**

22nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Giles	9	0	6	57	133	11	48
Lawrence	10	43	1	40	164	10	14
Maury	20	0	0	157	298	6	282
Wayne	6	2	6	28	79	0	15
District Total	**45**	**45**	**13**	**282**	**674**	**27**	**359**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Giles	39	0	0	0	0	16	**319**
Lawrence	6	0	33	6	0	51	**378**
Maury	42	1	1	292	0	50	**1149**
Wayne	10	0	0	8	0	12	**166**
District Total	**97**	**1**	**34**	**306**	**0**	**129**	**2012**

23rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Cheatham	14	187	32	49	3	285	19
Dickson	12	318	36	34	11	411	26
Houston	1	54	3	5	0	63	2
Humphreys	11	133	3	30	2	179	11
Stewart	3	71	1	0	0	75	4
District Total	**41**	**763**	**75**	**118**	**16**	**1013**	**62**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Cheatham	1	7	6	56	0	0	12
Dickson	0	16	13	6	0	0	91
Houston	0	3	0	21	0	0	1
Humphreys	1	8	5	3	0	0	0
Stewart	1	4	6	25	0	0	0
District Total	**3**	**38**	**30**	**111**	**0**	**0**	**104**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Cheatham	0	0	0	0	4	105	**390**
Dickson	0	0	0	0	8	160	**571**
Houston	0	0	0	0	1	28	**91**
Humphreys	0	0	2	0	2	32	**211**
Stewart	0	0	1	0	7	48	**123**
District Total	**0**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**22**	**373**	**1386**

23rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Cheatham	10	2	12	57	145	1	39
Dickson	14	48	3	119	236	5	39
Houston	1	0	0	18	46	2	1
Humphreys	8	16	1	42	87	10	8
Stewart	5	0	0	20	62	5	0
District Total	**38**	**66**	**16**	**256**	**576**	**23**	**87**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Cheatham	18	0	1	34	7	0	**326**
Dickson	22	0	0	3	1	4	**494**
Houston	3	0	0	11	0	0	**82**
Humphreys	3	0	0	1	6	2	**184**
Stewart	1	1	0	11	0	6	**111**
District Total	**47**	**1**	**1**	**60**	**14**	**12**	**1197**

24th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Benton	11	151	50	0	2	214	9
Carroll	8	182	36	0	26	252	18
Decatur	4	87	6	0	0	97	10
Hardin	2	17	8	1	0	28	21
Henry	16	234	64	0	16	330	15
District Total	**41**	**671**	**164**	**1**	**44**	**921**	**73**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Benton	1	8	4	62	0	0	2
Carroll	1	5	22	109	1	0	64
Decatur	1	3	10	27	0	0	13
Hardin	0	10	23	37	0	0	12
Henry	2	10	43	8	1	0	53
District Total	**5**	**36**	**102**	**243**	**2**	**0**	**144**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Benton	0	0	1	0	5	92	**306**
Carroll	1	2	4	2	24	253	**505**
Decatur	0	0	0	0	3	67	**164**
Hardin	0	6	3	0	0	112	**140**
Henry	0	3	6	0	23	164	**494**
District Total	**1**	**11**	**14**	**2**	**55**	**688**	**1609**

24th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Benton	11	1	3	48	124	23	33
Carroll	11	53	0	125	161	19	4
Decatur	3	11	2	26	47	0	3
Hardin	2	8	6	32	10	19	3
Henry	19	19	5	107	200	85	65
District Total	**46**	**92**	**16**	**338**	**542**	**146**	**108**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Benton	10	0	0	35	0	6	**294**
Carroll	16	2	0	111	0	54	**556**
Decatur	13	0	0	27	0	5	**137**
Hardin	20	3	2	34	0	0	**139**
Henry	0	0	0	3	0	27	**530**
District Total	**59**	**5**	**2**	**210**	**0**	**92**	**1656**

25th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Fayette	5	175	43	0	1	224	17
Hardeman	10	114	71	0	3	198	13
Lauderdale	11	251	18	1	1	282	9
McNairy	2	66	28	1	2	99	28
Tipton	18	420	75	0	0	513	20
District Total	**46**	**1026**	**235**	**2**	**7**	**1316**	**87**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Fayette	4	11	4	82	0	0	40
Hardeman	0	6	12	151	1	0	19
Lauderdale	1	11	38	3	0	0	33
McNairy	1	6	26	53	0	0	15
Tipton	3	12	18	82	0	0	12
District Total	**9**	**46**	**98**	**371**	**1**	**0**	**119**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Fayette	0	26	1	0	0	185	409
Hardeman	237	0	2	0	23	464	662
Lauderdale	0	0	1	0	3	99	381
McNairy	0	2	1	0	12	144	243
Tipton	0	0	1	0	0	148	661
District Total	**237**	**28**	**6**	**0**	**38**	**1040**	**2356**

25th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Fayette	3	21	6	39	137	15	42
Hardeman	11	20	3	182	114	162	29
Lauderdale	11	14	3	105	187	11	8
McNairy	2	10	6	47	32	10	20
Tipton	14	0	0	117	399	50	71
District Total	**41**	**65**	**18**	**490**	**869**	**248**	**170**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Fayette	14	19	0	48	0	0	344
Hardeman	9	0	0	124	0	3	657
Lauderdale	44	0	0	2	0	3	388
McNairy	10	3	1	36	2	8	187
Tipton	0	0	0	86	0	0	737
District Total	**77**	**22**	**1**	**296**	**2**	**14**	**2313**

26th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Chester	4	547	34	0	1	586	13
Henderson	6	194	50	0	0	250	16
Madison	33	589	81	0	1	704	108
District Total	**43**	**1330**	**165**	**0**	**2**	**1540**	**137**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Chester	5	7	14	28	1	0	18
Henderson	4	4	45	48	0	0	14
Madison	0	15	271	15	0	6	107
District Total	**9**	**26**	**330**	**91**	**1**	**6**	**139**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Chester	0	0	0	0	0	86	**672**
Henderson	0	0	1	0	9	141	**391**
Madison	2	32	2	0	16	574	**1278**
District Total	**2**	**32**	**3**	**0**	**25**	**801**	**2341**

26th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Chester	9	14	3	76	471	7	29
Henderson	5	2	0	148	123	71	23
Madison	39	75	16	245	449	283	67
District Total	**53**	**91**	**19**	**469**	**1043**	**361**	**119**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Chester	12	0	0	23	0	2	**646**
Henderson	2	0	0	48	1	3	**426**
Madison	2	18	0	13	1	5	**1213**
District Total	**16**	**18**	**0**	**84**	**2**	**10**	**2285**

27th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Obion	8	296	177	0	7	488	35
Weakley	13	200	75	0	7	295	40
District Total	**21**	**496**	**252**	**0**	**14**	**783**	**75**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Obion	0	12	86	137	0	0	0
Weakley	3	13	32	199	1	0	44
District Total	**3**	**25**	**118**	**336**	**1**	**0**	**44**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Obion	0	6	3	0	8	287	775
Weakley	0	0	4	0	7	343	638
District Total	**0**	**6**	**7**	**0**	**15**	**630**	**1413**

27th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Obion	7	60	6	75	231	38	112
Weakley	11	21	1	45	159	162	34
District Total	**18**	**81**	**7**	**120**	**390**	**200**	**146**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Obion	52	0	0	91	0	5	677
Weakley	2	0	0	85	1	0	521
District Total	**54**	**0**	**0**	**176**	**1**	**5**	**1198**

28th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Crockett	4	61	19	0	4	88	7
Gibson	27	389	88	1	14	519	55
Haywood	7	160	42	0	0	209	8
District Total	**38**	**610**	**149**	**1**	**18**	**816**	**70**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Crockett	0	0	10	44	0	0	26
Gibson	2	9	65	239	0	1	89
Haywood	0	2	11	76	0	0	48
District Total	**2**	**11**	**86**	**359**	**0**	**1**	**163**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Crockett	0	0	3	0	13	103	**191**
Gibson	0	1	4	1	17	483	**1002**
Haywood	0	0	0	0	50	195	**404**
District Total	**0**	**1**	**7**	**1**	**80**	**781**	**1597**

28th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Crockett	3	7	1	38	59	32	5
Gibson	22	50	8	158	295	33	42
Haywood	6	0	0	58	109	5	61
District Total	**31**	**57**	**9**	**254**	**463**	**70**	**108**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Crockett	10	0	3	42	1	3	**204**
Gibson	239	3	0	34	2	23	**909**
Haywood	12	0	0	73	1	46	**371**
District Total	**261**	**3**	**3**	**149**	**4**	**72**	**1484**

29th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Dyer	85	416	231	0	23	755	49
Lake	6	61	3	0	0	70	3
District Total	**91**	**477**	**234**	**0**	**23**	**825**	**52**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Dyer	114	1	44	135	1	9	75
Lake	0	7	1	34	0	0	0
District Total	**114**	**8**	**45**	**169**	**1**	**9**	**75**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Dyer	0	0	1	0	19	448	**1203**
Lake	0	0	3	0	11	59	**129**
District Total	**0**	**0**	**4**	**0**	**30**	**507**	**1332**

29th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Dyer	65	81	0	197	307	69	149
Lake	3	1	0	8	41	1	3
District Total	**68**	**82**	**0**	**205**	**348**	**70**	**152**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Dyer	46	0	0	78	0	0	**992**
Lake	5	0	0	13	0	15	**90**
District Total	**51**	**0**	**0**	**91**	**0**	**15**	**1082**

30th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Shelby	309	1198	10	0	0	1517	261
District Total	**309**	**1198**	**10**	**0**	**0**	**1517**	**261**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Shelby	375	288	38	9	76	0	88
District Total	**375**	**288**	**38**	**9**	**76**	**0**	**88**

County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Shelby	0	165	19	7	37	1363	2880
District Total	**0**	**165**	**19**	**7**	**37**	**1363**	**2880**

30th JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Shelby	261	110	56	902	921	260	0
District Total	**261**	**110**	**56**	**902**	**921**	**260**	**0**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Shelby	52	0	18	0	3	0	2583
District Total	**52**	**0**	**18**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**2583**

31st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Filings

County	Adoption	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS	Contracts/ Debts
Van Buren	0	3	0	0	0	3	0
Warren	2	20	4	0	0	26	66
District Total	**2**	**23**	**4**	**0**	**0**	**29**	**66**

County	Damages/ Torts	Real Estate Matters	Wkmn. Comp./ Minor Settlement	Probate, Etc.	Appeal From Admin. Hearing	Appeal From Lower Court	Contempt Proceeding
Van Buren	1	3	4	1	0	0	0
Warren	1	7	67	123	0	0	0
District Total	**2**	**10**	**71**	**124**	**0**	**0**	**0**

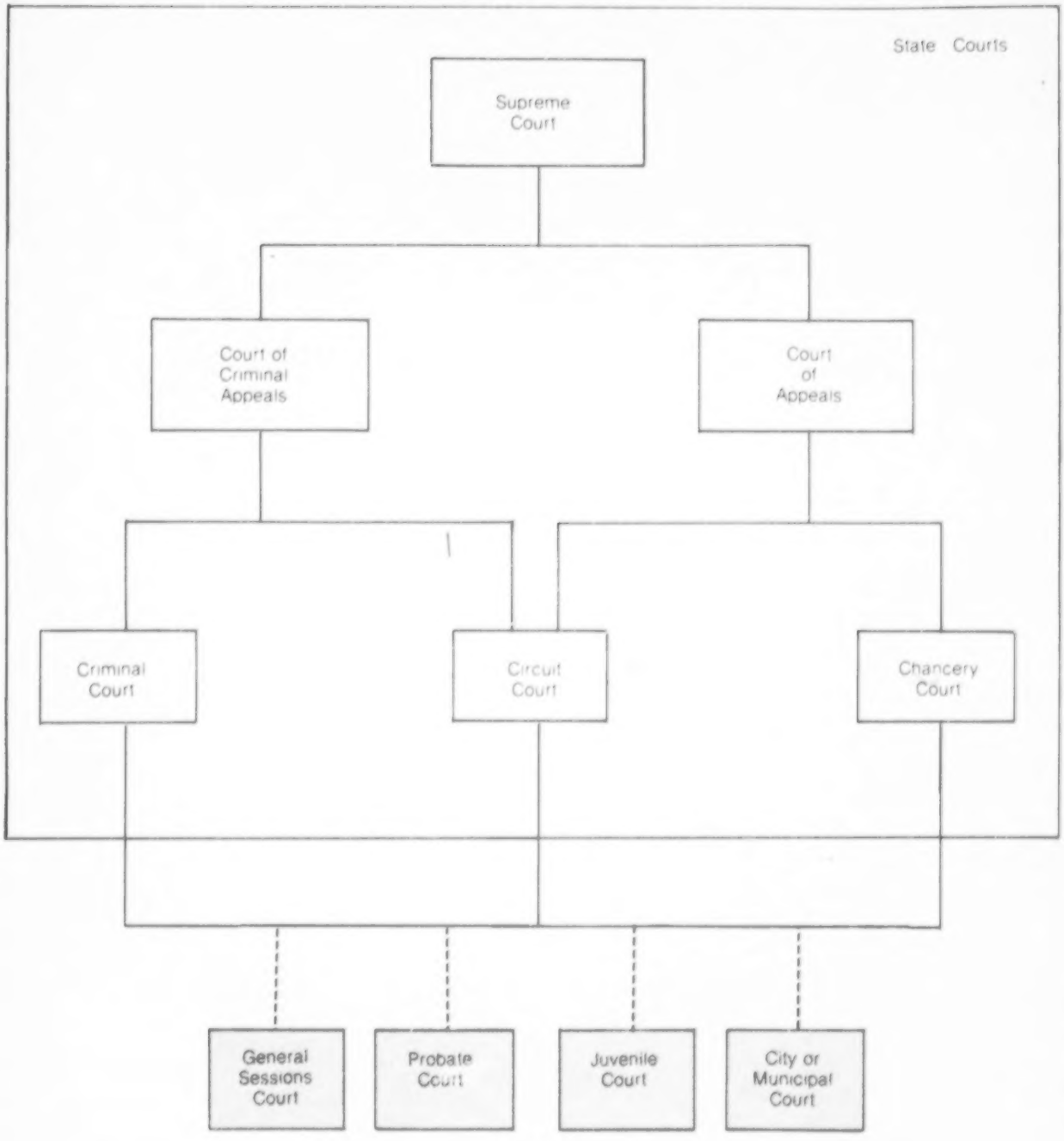
County	Mental Health	Special Remedy	Tax Matters	Trusts	Other Non-Domestic Relations	TOTAL NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS	GRAND TOTAL FILED
Van Buren	0	0	1	0	1	11	14
Warren	0	1	2	0	11	278	304
District Total	**0**	**1**	**3**	**0**	**12**	**289**	**318**

31st JUDICIAL DISTRICT CHANCERY COURT
Dispositions

County	Adoption Decree	Cite For Contempt	Default Judgment	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Judgment After Trial	Ruling On Petition
Van Buren	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Warren	1	0	14	35	6	39	3
District Total	**1**	**0**	**15**	**35**	**6**	**39**	**3**

County	Settled	Special Remedy Relief	Summary Judgment	Termination Probate, Etc.	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL DISPOSED
Van Buren	0	0	0	1	1	3	6
Warren	27	0	3	101	2	3	234
District Total	**27**	**0**	**3**	**102**	**3**	**6**	**240**

Courts of Limited Jurisdiction



Courts of Limited Jurisdiction

Below are the three main limited jurisdiction courts. These courts are locally funded, and many lower court variations exist in the state because of private acts.

General Sessions Court

Although a general sessions court had been created in many counties by private legislation, a general statute established this court as an alternative to the justice of the peace system in all but six counties during 1960. Many variations exist in general sessions court jurisdiction.

Under the general statute each has the civil and criminal jurisdiction formerly vested in the justice of the peace. Today, this civil jurisdiction extends to the sum of $10,000 in all civil cases. ($15,000 limit in counties with population of over 700,000) T.C.A. § 16-15-501. In cases of forcible entry and detainer, original juridsiction is unlimited.

General sessions judges have the power to issue execution on judgments entered by them. They also may issue restraining orders, and have the same jurisdiction as circuit judges or chancellors to grant fiats or writs or injunction, attachments and other extraordinary process.

The general sessions court holds preliminary hearings on criminal charges. The judge may try the case if the charge is a misdemeanor within the jurisdiction of the sessions court if the defendant has waived his right to indictment, presentment, grand jury investigation and jury trial, or if a plea of guilty to the misdemeanor charge has been entered. Otherwise, the case is transferred to the court in that county with criminal jurisdiction.

The general sessions judge has the authority to issue all warrants and to set a bond schedule for the release of bailable prisoners. When trying a criminal case, the judge may impose a fine up to $50 and/or a jail sentence up to 11 months, 29 days unless the crime involved specifies a longer term to be served in the county jail or workhouse. As in civil cases, disputed judgments may be appealed to a higher trial court with proper jurisdiction where the case is tried *de novo.*

Other general sessions jurisdiction varies among individual counties. Some courts have jurisdiction over municipal ordinance violations, and some counties have given their general sessions court jurisdiction in probate, juvenile, mental commitment, worker's compensation and domestic relations matters.

Ninety-two of the 95 counties have a general sessions court. Anderson and Sevier counties have a trial justice court, which is similar to general sessions but with expanded jurisdiction; Stewart County has neither. Approximately 115 judges preside at the general sessions level. An estimated two-thirds of these are full time and one-third are part-time, with slightly more than one-half being attorneys.

In most counties, the circuit court clerk acts as clerk of the general sessions court although a separate sessions clerk exists in some locations.

Juvenile Court

Juvenile courts in Tennessee are the general sessions court in all the counties of this state except in those counties and municipalities in which special juvenile courts are provided by law. Juvenile court judges are not state paid judges. Among the proceedings in which these courts have exclusive original jurisdiction are proceedings in which a child is alleged to be delinquent, unruly, or dependent and neglected. T.C.A. § 37-1-103. The juvenile court also has concurrent jurisdiction with the circuit, chancery, and probate court in some areas. T.C.A. § 37-1-104 Hearings are conducted in an informal but orderly manner and the court maintains minutes of proceedings. T.C.A. §37-1-124.

Pursuant to T.C.A. § 37-1-159, the juvenile courts are courts of record and any appeal from any final disposition of a child, except where the disposition of the child is being handled as an adult under § 37-1-134, may be made to the circuit court which tries the case de novo.

On July 1, 1984, the Tennessee Rules of Juvenile Procedure became effective. These Rules were promulgated by the Supreme Court in order to provide speedy and inexpensive procedures for the hearing of juvenile cases that assure fairness and equity and that protect the rights and interests of all parties. The rules and designed to promote uniformity in practice and procedure and to provide guidance to judges, referees, attorneys, youth services and probation officers, and others participating in the juvenile courts.

Municipal Court

A city of municipal (sometimes recorder's) court has jurisdiction over cases involving the violation of city ordinances. Generally, a city judge has the authority to assess fines up to $50 and sentences of imprisonment up to 30 days. This jurisdiction, however, varies widely from city to city. The number of such courts is estimated at over 300 throughout the state.

General Sessions Divorce Caseload Data
Calendar Year 1986

Filings

County	Divorce	Petitions Modifications	Reciprocal Support	Other Domestic Relations	TOTAL DOMESTIC RELATIONS
Bledsoe	72	3	0	2	77
Bradley	244	128	0	66	438
Campbell	291	7	1	16	315
Clay	20	2	1	1	24
Hamblen	195	59	0	0	254
Hardin	170	0	0	0	170
Jackson	53	0	0	0	53
Loudon	198	66	0	0	264
McNairy	170	1	1	15	187
Overton	78	0	0	0	78
Roane	359	30	0	0	389
Robertson	268	3	0	0	271
Tipton	210	1	0	0	211
Van Buren	31	0	0	0	31
Warren	205	0	0	0	205
White	106	0	0	0	106
TOTAL	**2670**	**300**	**3**	**100**	**3073**

Dispositions

County	Cite For Contempt	Dismissal	Divorce Decree	Ruling On Petition	Transferred To Another Court	Other	GRAND TOTAL
Bledsoe	0	10	33	10	0	1	54
Bradley	34	49	144	88	1	28	344
Campbell	0	28	237	2	0	10	277
Clay	0	1	9	0	0	0	10
Hamblen	0	50	164	43	0	1	258
Hardin	0	13	111	0	0	8	132
Jackson	0	6	38	0	0	0	44
Loudon	0	42	163	57	0	0	262
McNairy	3	12	131	4	0	34	184
Overton	0	3	58	1	0	3	65
Roane	7	57	198	28	0	58	348
Robertson	0	100	195	0	0	11	306
Tipton	0	22	134	0	0	0	156
Van Buren	0	0	27	0	0	0	27
Warren	0	22	153	0	0	0	175
White	0	8	59	7	0	14	88
TOTAL	**44**	**423**	**1854**	**240**	**1**	**168**	**2730**

Several general sessions courts exercise divorce jurisdiction as a result of private legislative acts. Therefore, when the Tennessee Judicial Information System (TJIS) was initiated statewide in 1978, the Executive Secretary's Office decided to collect data on the divorce caseload of these general sessions courts.

APPENDIX

Explanation of TJIS Case Classification Categories

Civil Filings

At the time of filing a civil action, the filing attorney or officer is responsible for specifying the type of charge or action involved in the case. Court clerks report these filings to the Office of the Executive Secretary through the Tennessee Judicial Information System. An explanation of the TJIS case classification categories follows:

Domestic Relations

Adoption. Includes all cases involving child adoption proceedings.

Divorce. Includes all cases involving the termination of a marriage, permanent separations between a husband and wife, and annulments.

Petition Modifications. Includes all petitions involving the reopening or modification of divorce cases that have previously been closed.

Reciprocal Support. Includes all cases involving child support in which the case is either *sent* to another state or *received from* another state.

Other Domestic Relations. Includes cases that do not logically fit into any of the above categories. The most common examples are name changes and paternity suits.

Non-Domestic Relations

Contracts/Debts. Includes any action involving either (1) promissory agreements between two or more people that create, modify, or destroy a legal relation, or (2) recovery of a certain specific sum of money where there is no express contract to pay it. This includes recovery of money for services performed, property sold and delivered, money loaned, or damages for performance of simple contracts (expressed or implied) when the right of the parties will be adequately conserved by the payment and receipt of money.

Damages/Torts. Includes all cases involving action to recover money as compensation or indemnity for loss or injury to a person, property, or rights. Typical actions include personal injury, property damages suits, and unliquidated damages.

Real Estate Matters. Includes all matters pertaining to land, including contracts for the sale of land, suits dealing with ownership, foreclosure proceedings, easements, water rights, rights of way, boundary disputes, condemnation proceedings, and partitions.

Worker's Compensation/Minor's Settlement Petitions. Includes all cases involving action to determine the right to compensation under the Worker's Compensation Act or the amount of the award. Generally, these are actions arising from the injury or death of a worker in the course of employment and extend to the provision of security for the worker's dependents.

Probate/Conservatorship/Guardianship. Includes all cases involving (1) probate matters (wills and settlement of estates); (2) conservatorship actions (relating to management of the estate and affairs of another who is incapable due to old age, lack of mental capacity, etc.); and, (3) guardianship actions (a term usually reserved for actions involving the estate and affairs of a minor).

Appeal from Administrative Hearing. Includes only those cases directly appealed from an administrative agency, for example, a local beer board or school board.

Appeal from Lower Court. Includes all civil cases appealed to circuit or chancery court from a municipal, juvenile, or general sessions court. All appeals to circuit court involving non-criminal traffic cases are filed as civil cases and reported here. Cases that are original to the trial level court and are appealed to the Court of Appeals or the Supreme Court are *not* reported here.

Contempt Proceeding. Includes all those actions taken to hold an individual in contempt of a court order.

Mental Health. Includes actions that determine the competency of an individual, judicial commitment or hospitalization, judicial review of transfers of the mentally ill or retarded, and restoration of competency.

Special Remedy. Includes all special proceedings; for example, injunctions, restraining orders, writs of mandamus, quo warranto, and prohibition. Criminal court actions use the special remedy under criminal filing categories.

Tax Matters. Includes all cases involving state or local tax issues. In most courts, a tax case is filed yearly and contains hundreds of delinquent taxpayers. For TJIS purposes, this can be tracked as only one case.

Trusts. Includes all activity relating to the filing and the establishment of a trust. Annual reports to the court are noted as a reopened case that is disposed of on the same day.

Other Non-Domestic Relations. Includes actions that do not logically fit into any of the prior defined categories. A common example under this category is a salary suit initiated by a court clerk.

Civil Dispositions

TJIS has 13 civil disposition categories:

Adoption Decree. Includes decrees of the court where the rights and interests of the natural parents are severed, and a legal relationship of parent and child between persons not so related by nature is created.

Cite for Contempt. Includes dispositions resulting from a party's failure to obey a court order, injunction, or decree. Also includes dispositions resulting from a party's doing of acts in disrespect of the court or its process or which obstruct the administration of justice.

Default Judgment. Includes those cases where the court enters a judgment against the defendant when the defendant has either failed to appear in court as required or has failed to properly file an answer to the petition.

Dismissal. Includes both voluntary dismissals and involuntary dismissals. Voluntary dismissals cover those cases wherein the case is dismissed by the court at the request of the plaintiff or by agreement of all parties, with or without prejudice. Involuntary dismissals cover those cases which the court dismisses on its own initiative, with or without prejudice to future proceedings. An involuntary dismissal also occurs when the court retires a case because no action has been taken on the case within a certain time frame.

Divorce Decree. Includes those dispositions that grant a final divorce or annulment.

Judgment After Trial. Includes civil cases where a trial has been held and a judgment has been entered, whether by a jury or judge.

Ruling of Petition. Used to record the disposition of petitions that have been filed after the initial judgment of the case, as with petitions for modification in domestic relations cases.

Settled. Used in those cases in which the parties reach a settlement prior to trial, or, if the trial has started, prior to judgment.

Special Remedy Relief. The disposition category for those cases filed under civil special remedy.

Summary Judgment. Includes those cases where the court enters a judgment in favor of one of the parties prior to or during the trial of a case. This often occurs at the pretrial hearing. This procedure is distinguishable from a default judgment in that both parties are present.

Termination of Probate/Conservatorship/Guardianship/Trusts. Includes official court terminations of one of the above legal arrangements.

Transferred to Another Court. Includes all civil cases where the matter is transferred from one county to another or to another court with jurisdiction.

Other. Includes civil case dispositions that do not logically fit any of the above categories. Common examples of dispositions in this category are legitimations, land sales, and mental health commitments.

Criminal Filings

For TJIS reporting purposes, criminal cases are divided into three general classes and 25 categories.

Offenses Committed Against Persons

Assault. Includes aggravated assault, assault, reckless conduct, and terroristic threat.

Homicide. Includes capital murder, murder, manslaughter, and criminal negligent homicide.

Kidnapping. Includes false imprisonment and kidnapping.

Non-Support. Includes all cases where a father intentionally or knowingly abandons his child or fails within his means to provide for the support and education of his child as directed by the court.

Sexual Offense. Includes rape, aggravated rape, sexual abuse, rape of a child, sexual abuse of a child, and indecency with a child.

Other Acts Against Person. Includes criminal cases that do not logically fit any of the above categories. A common example is contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

Offenses Committed Against Property

Burglary. Includes burglary, criminal trespassing, and breaking and entering.

Fraud. Includes worthless checks, forgery, credit card abuse, false statements to obtain credit or welfare, deceptive business practices, and fraud in insolvency.

Property Destruction. Includes arson, criminal mischief, and reckless damage or destruction.

Robbery. Includes robbery and aggravated robbery.

Theft. Includes petit and grand larceny, shoplifting, extortion, and theft.

Concealing and/or Receiving Stolen Property. Includes possession of items without serial numbers, transporting stolen goods across state lines, and concealing and/or receiving stolen property.

Other Acts Against Property. Includes criminal cases that do not logically fit any of the above categories.

Offenses Committed Against the Public Welfare

Bribery. Includes bribery, coercion of voters, tampering with a witness, accepting a gift from a public servant, and improper influence.

Disorderly Conduct. Includes disturbing the peace, disorderly conduct, riot, false alarm, harassment, public intoxication, obstructing a highway, and cruelty to animals.

Drugs. Includes possession or sale of dangerous, abusable, or restricted drugs, and possession of dangerous drug paraphernalia.

DWI. Includes those cases that involve the operation of a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

Gambling. Includes gambling, gambling promotion, lotteries, chain letters, pyramid clubs, and possession of gaming devices and tables.

Obscenity. Includes obscenity, public lewdness, and harmful display to a minor.

Obstructing Justice. Includes resisting arrest, evading arrest, escape, bail jumping, aiding escape, and accessory after the fact.

Perjury. Includes perjury, impersonation of a public servant, and tampering with public records.

Prostitution. Includes prostitution, promotion of prostitution, and compelling prostitution.

Weapons Possession Resale. Includes unlawful possession of a weapon, unlawful sale of firearms, unlawful transportation of firearms, and the use of a weapon in the commission of a crime.

Special Remedy. Includes all civil actions that can occur in reference to a criminal case, for example, post-conviction petitions, petitions of habeas corpus, etc.

Other Acts Against Public. Includes criminal case filings that do not logically fit any of the above categories. Common examples are vagrancy, liquor offenses, and driving with a revoked license.

Criminal Dispositions

For purposes of caseload reporting, the following are possible judgments in a criminal case.

Acquittal. The defendant is found "not guilty" after trial.

Convicted After Trial. The defendant is found guilty after a trial by jury or judge.

Dismissal. Includes both voluntary and involuntary dismissals.

Guilty Plea. The defendant has pled guilty, including a plea of nolo contendere.

Remanded to General Sessions. The defendant, after having been brought before the criminal court, is later returned to the general sessions court for action.

Special Remedy Relief. Approval of criminal filing category special remedy relief.

Transferred to Another Court. The criminal case is transferred to another county, state, or court.

Unapprehended Defendant. This category can be used if the defendant failed to appear when required, left the state without permission, or was unavailable for trial. A case using this category is placed in a closed status until apprehension allows reopening of the case. Where courts have given formal approval to use this disposition, reporting is generally not done until after 90 days from the date of filing.

Nolle Prosequi. Used when the district attorney general terminates a case.

Other. Includes criminal cases that do not logically fit any of the given categories. Common examples are cases retired, abated by death, and mistrial.

Tennessee Trial Court System
Twenty-Three Year Caseload Summary
1964 - 1986

Filings

Year	Chancery	Circuit Civil	Criminal	Law & Equity	Total
1986	49,881	57,009	44,503	----	151,393
1985	48,314	56,116	40,584	----	145,014
1984	46,230	55,313	39,961	*	141,504
1983	40,586	53,536	40,554	5,315	139,991
1982	39,349	49,533	39,294	4,326	132,502
1981	37,305	53,296	37,213	4,030	131,844
1980	35,755	53,398	34,564	4,344	128,061
1979	34,536	51,158	30,723	4,200	120,617
1978	32,665	49,378	31,508	3,868	117,419
1977	32,403	49,596	31,626	4,521	118,146
1976	30,998	46,891	29,612	4,850	112,351
1975	29,569	46,596	29,462	4,242	109,869
1974	26,242	43,375	26,583	5,182	101,382
1973	22,487	39,614	21,953	4,590	88,644
1972	19,409	37,905	20,104	3,794	81,272
1971	18,294	38,689	21,882	3,130	81,995
1970	17,847	42,638	20,890	3,022	84,397
1969	15,334	40,256	19,401	3,058	78,049
1968	14,057	36,329	18,068	2,387	70,841
1967	13,815	29,709	17,497	2,567	63,588
1966	12,849	33,874	17,017	1,448	65,188
1965	12,863	30,051	17,179	1,285	61,378
1964	12,363	28,225	16,223	----	56,811

Dispositions

Year	Chancery	Circuit Civil	Criminal	Law & Equity	Total
1986	45,512	51,131	40,106	----	136,749
1985	44,561	50,862	37,050	----	132,473
1984	44,155	50,183	38,282	*	132,620
1983	39,981	53,073	41,154	4,754	138,962
1982	33,846	45,015	33,951	4,158	116,970
1981	33,651	49,771	33,375	4,222	121,019
1980	32,535	47,594	29,502	3,757	113,388
1979	33,295	46,616	28,319	3,613	111,843
1978	31,171	46,600	28,761	3,427	109,959
1977	31,700	42,278	28,857	4,143	106,978
1976	30,291	47,321	30,297	4,541	112,450
1975	28,338	48,119	28,396	4,189	109,042
1974	23,889	42,113	23,671	4,657	94,330
1973	21,417	40,455	21,177	4,262	87,311
1972	18,647	39,191	20,026	1,384	79,248
1971	18,379	37,619	21,457	2,974	80,429
1970	17,134	38,850	18,850	2,571	77,443
1969	15,464	36,668	17,587	3,097	72,816
1968	13,544	34,116	16,490	2,155	66,305
1967	13,413	32,640	15,916	2,306	64,275
1966	11,827	30,843	15,668	1,178	59,516
1965	11,945	27,458	15,939	1,119	56,461
1964	10,350	24,381	12,815	----	47,546

*Effective September 1, 1984, two of the state's four law and equity courts became chancery court, and the other two became circuit court. T.C.A. § 16-2-506. For reporting purposes, the 1984 caseload data reflects the conversion as if it had taken place on January 1, 1984.

Tennessee Population Census

County	1985	County	1985
Tennessee	**4,762,000**	**Tennessee**	**4,762,000**
Anderson	69,200	Lawrence	34,600
Bedford	28,700	Lewis	10,500
Benton	15,100	Lincoln	26,800
Bledsoe	9,600	Loudon	30,300
Blount	81,600	McMinn	43,000
Bradley	71,300	McNairy	23,200
Campbell	35,400	Macon	16,000
Cannon	10,700	Madison	77,200
Carroll	28,100	Marion	24,800
Carter	51,700	Marshall	20,600
Cheatham	23,700	Maury	52,900
Chester	12,900	Meigs	7,900
Claiborne	26,800	Monroe	30,300
Clay	7,800	Montgomery	89,000
Cocke	29,500	Moore	4,800
Coffee	40,600	Morgan	16,900
Crockett	14,100	Obion	33,400
Cumberland	31,000	Overton	17,800
Davidson	491,300	Perry	6,600
Decatur	11,100	Pickett	4,400
DeKalb	14,100	Polk	13,800
Dickson	31,900	Putnam	50,700
Dyer	34,300	Rhea	24,900
Fayette	25,500	Roane	49,500
Fentress	15,700	Robertson	39,500
Franklin	33,400	Rutherford	98,200
Gibson	48,800	Scott	20,400
Giles	25,000	Sequatchie	8,800
Grainger	17,400	Sevier	46,700
Greene	56,800	Shelby	799,700
Grundy	14,400	Smith	14,500
Hamblen	53,600	Stewart	9,200
Hamilton	284,500	Sullivan	146,100
Hancock	6,900	Sumner	93,600
Hardeman	23,700	Tipton	34,900
Hardin	22,400	Trousdale	5,900
Hawkins	45,400	Unicoi	16,900
Haywood	20,700	Union	12,300
Henderson	22,200	Van Buren	4,900
Henry	29,100	Warren	33,500
Hickman	15,800	Washington	92,100
Houston	7,000	Wayne	14,000
Humphreys	15,800	Weakley	33,000
Jackson	9,300	White	19,800
Jefferson	33,200	Williamson	69,100
Johnson	14,100	Wilson	62,400
Knox	332,200		
Lake	8,100		
Lauderdale	25,500		

Source: Current Population Reports, 1985 Local Population Estimates, U.S. Bureau of the Census, August, 1986.

Appellate Court Officials - 1986

Supreme Court	Court of Appeals	Court of Criminal Appeals	Clerks
Ray L. Brock, Jr. Chief Justice William H.D. Fones Robert E. Cooper William J. Harbison Frank F. Drowota, III Supreme Court Building Nashville 37219	James W. Parrott Clifford E. Sanders Houston Goddard Herschel P. Franks Supreme Court Building Knoxville 37902	Charles H. O'Brien Joe D. Duncan John K. Byers Supreme Court Building Knoxville 37902	Robert W. Summar/ Eastern Division
	Henry F. Todd Samuel L. Lewis Ben H. Cantrell William C. Koch, Jr. Supreme Court Building Nashville 37219	Martha Craig Daughtrey Allen R. Cornelius, Jr. Jerry Scott Supreme Court Building Nashville 37219	Ramsey Leathers/ Middle Division
	Charles E. Nearn (retired 1-1-86) David R. Farmer (term began 3-14-86) Hewitt P. Tomlin, Jr. W. Frank Crawford Alan E. Highers Supreme Court Building Jackson 38301	Mark A. Walker Robert K. Dwyer Lloyd Tatum (retired 9-16-86) Joseph B. Jones (term began 11-21-86) Supreme Court Building Jackson 38301	Jewell Redden/ Western Division

Trial Court Officials by Jurisdiction - 1986

Judicial District	Chancellor	Circuit Judge	Criminal Judge	County	Circuit Clerk	Clerk & Master	Criminal Clerk
1	Leon Jordan* Ashe St. Courthouse Johnson City 37601	Thomas J. Seeley Ashe St. Courthouse Johnson City 37601 Jack R. Musick P.O. Box 523 Elizabethton 37644	Arden Hill Route 6 P.O. Box 626 Elizabethton 37643	Carter Johnson Unicoi Washington	Luther McKeehan Ruth Phillips Gregory Masters Don Squibb	Charlotte McKeehan Robert Grindstaff Billie Peterson Dianna Boarman	
2	Richard E. Ladd* Courthouse Bristol 37620	Roger E. Thayer 225 West Center St. Kingsport 37660 George H. Garrett City Hall Bldg. Kingsport 37660	Edgar P. Calhoun 608 Montezuma Road Kingsport 37664	Sullivan	Raymond Winters	Nancy Dixon (Blountville) Ralph Harr (Bristol) Robert Neyland (Kingsport)	
3	Dennis H. Inman* Hamblen Co. Courthouse Morristown 37814 Ben K. Wexler P.O. Box 876 Greeneville 37744	John K. Wilson P.O. Box 625 Greeneville 37744	James E. Beckner 510 Allison St. Morristown 37814	Greene Hamblen Hancock Hawkins	Betty Carter Justis Gary Trent Jack Stapleton Jean Riley	Polly Solomon Jean Jones Scott Collins Shirley Graham	
4	Chester S. Rainwater, Jr. P.O. Box 388 Dandridge 37725	J. Kenneth Porter 609 W. Broadway Newport 37821 William R. Holt, Jr.* Room 303 Courthouse Sevierville 37862		Cocke Grainger Jefferson Sevier	Peggy Lane Rhonda Reagan Kathy Carpenter Helen Loveday	Charles Chesteen Lois Jackson Sarah Reel Carolyn McMahon	
5	Served by 4th District Chancellor	W. Dale Young* Mail Unit, Box 12 Blount Co. Courthouse Maryville 37801 John C. Crawford, III P.O. Drawer D Maryville 37803		Blount	Enoch Simerly	James Carroll	

*Presiding Judge as of 9-1-86

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Judicial District	Chancellor	Circuit Judge	Criminal Judge	County	Circuit Clerk	Clerk & Master	Criminal Clerk
6	Frederick McDonald H. David Cate Sharon J. Bell City County Building 420 Main Ave. Knoxville 37902	Chester R. Mahood* T. Edward Cole James M. Haynes Bill Swann City County Building 420 Main Ave. Knoxville 37902	John J. Duncan, Jr. Ray L. Jenkins George P. Balitsaris City County Building 420 Main Ave. Knoxville 37902	Knox	Lillian Bean	William Jones-	Martha Phillips
7	Allen Kidwell* Anderson Co. Courthouse Clinton 37716	James B. Scott, Jr. Anderson Co. Courthouse Clinton 37716		Anderson	Helen Jernigan	Forrest Bridges	
8	Billy Joe White P.O. Box 254 Tazewell 37879	Conrad Troutman, Jr. 122 W. Central Ave. LaFollette 37766	Lee Asbury* P.O. Box 66 Jacksboro 37757	Campbell Claiborne Fentress Scott Union	Patsy Davis Bill DeBusk W. Frank Smith Irene Chitwood Lena Mae Tharp	Bill Archer Thomas Shumate Ralph Taylor Odie Phillips Doris Seymour	
9	Frank V. Williams, III* Roane Co. Courthouse Kingston 37763	Don T. McMurray P.O. Box 542 Lenoir City 37771	E. Eugene Eblen P.O. Box 220 Kingston 37763	Loudon Meigs Morgan Roane	Gerry Nichols Paul Isom Russell Scott Louis Thomas	Lloyd Black Jim Mercer Fayne Melton Marietta Roberts	
10	Earl H. Henley McMinn Co. Courthouse Athens 37303 Cleveland 37311	Earle G. Murphy* Mayo L. Mashburn Bradley Co. Courthouse Cleveland 37311 David F. Harrod (resigned 9-5-86) S. Randolph Ayers (term began 9-11-86) P.O. Box 987 Athens 37303	Robert Steven Bebb 409 College St. Madisonville 37354	Bradley McMinn Monroe Polk	Elizabeth Carson Norma Corn White Martha Cook Connie H. Clark	Reginald Hyberger Virginia Smith Judith Lee Sula Jenkins	
11	R. Vann Owens Howell N. Peoples Hamilton Co. Courthouse Chattanooga 37402	Robert M. Summitt Samuel H. Payne William M. Barker David Tom Walker Hamilton Co. Courthouse Chattanooga 37402	Douglas A. Meyer* Joseph F. DiRisio Russell Hinson Hamilton Co. Justice Bldg. Chattanooga 37402	Hamilton	Judy Medearis	Ronald Durby	Leon Haley

*Presiding Judge as of 9-1-86

Trial Court Officials by Jurisdiction - 1986

Judicial District	Chancellor	Circuit Judge	Criminal Judge	County	Circuit Clerk	Clerk & Master	Criminal Clerk
12	Lawrence F. Stewart Winchester 37398	Paul A. Swafford P.O. Box 757 Jasper 37347 Thomas A. Greer, Jr.* P.O. Box 547 Dunlap 37327 Buddy D. Perry 35C S. Porter St. Winchester 37398		Bledsoe Franklin Grundy Marion Rhea Sequatchie	Greg Johnson Nancy Silvertooth Sue Parrott Mary Faye Payne John E. Fine Patsy Frizzell	Landon Colvard Dorothy Hunter Fritz Mayes Corry Sharp Ray Peavyhouse Sara Goins	
13	Vernon Neal 1 S. Jefferson Ave. 1st Tennessee Bank Bldg. Cookeville 38501	Thomas H. Haile Haile Bldg. 215 Reagan St. Cookeville 38501 John J. Maddux 228 E. Broad Room 202 Cookeville 38501	Leon C. Burns, Jr.* 228 E. Broad St. Suite 204 Cookeville 38501	Clay Cumberland DeKalb Overton Pickett Putnam White	Bobby Meadows Ralph Baisley Ceasar Dunn Johnny Brown Billy Lee Lewis Coomer Henry E. Foster	Corinne McLerran Sue Tollett John Nixon Dorothy Stanton Sue Whited Charles Vaughn Lynda McCoy	
14	Served by 12th District Chancellor	Gerald L. Ewell, Sr. 300 Hillsboro Blvd. Box [illegible] [illegible]er 37355		Coffee	Charlene Camp	Ben Jenkins	
15	Edward M. Turner 211 Main St. P.O. Box 171 Carthage 37030	Bobby H. Capers Wilson Co. Courthouse Lebanon 37087	Robert H. Bradshaw* P.O. Box 1 Hartsville 37074	Jackson Macon Smith Trousdale Wilson	Joe Ward Glen Donoho Carolyn Grisham Morris Crowder Jimmy Martin	Estell Spivey Jon Wells Dianna Dillehay Gaynell Deering Perry Johnson	
16	Whitney Stegall* Rutherford Co. Judicial Bldg., Room 304 20 North Side Square Murfreesboro 37130	Joseph S. Daniel Rutherford Co. Judicial Bldg., Room 208 20 North Side Square Murfreesboro 37130 James K. Clayton, Jr. Rutherford Co. Courthouse Suite 208 Murfreesboro 37130		Cannon Rutherford	Robert Davenport Robert Suddarth	Lois Gilley Jo Ann Arnold	

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Judicial District	Chancellor	Circuit Judge	Criminal Judge	County	Circuit Clerk	Clerk & Master	Criminal Clerk
17	Tyrus H. Cobb P.O. Box 247 Shelbyville 37160	Robert J. Parkes* P.O. Box 715 Fayetteville 37334		Bedford Lincoln Marshall Moore	Thomas A. Smith Gayle Corder Jack Fagan Trixie Harrison	Howard Barton Odell Posey Vance Wiles Frances Bedford	
18	Thomas E. Gray Sumner Co. Courthouse Gallatin 37066	Thomas Boyers, IV Sumner Co. Courthouse Gallatin 37066	Fred A. Kelly, III* Sumner Co. Courthouse Gallatin 37066	Sumner	Mahailiah Hughes	Fred Durham	
19	Alex Darnell P.O. Box 181 Clarksville 37041	James E. Walton Robertson Co. Courthouse Springfield 37172 John H. Peay* P.O. Box 606 Clarksville 37041		Montgomery Robertson	Carrie Heath Ann Stroud	Virginia Marshall Kenneth Hudgens	
20	Irvin H. Kilcrease, Jr. C. Allen High Robert S. Brandt Metro Courthouse Nashville 37201	Hamilton Gayden, Jr. Harry S. Lester Joe C. Loser, Jr. (retired 8-31-86) Matthew J. Sweeney, III (term began 9-1-86) Muriel Robinson Walter C. Kurtz James M. Swiggart Metro Courthouse Nashville 37201	Sterling P. Gray, Jr. James Randall Wyatt* A. A. Birch, Jr. Metro Courthouse Nashville 37201	Davidson	George Rooker	Chris Norris	Joe Torrence
21		Henry D. Bell Box 392 Franklin 37064 Elmer D. Davies, Jr.* Perry Co. Courthouse Linden 37096 Donald P. Harris P.O. Box 1469 Franklin 37065		Hickman Lewis Perry Williamson	Jim Rice Freddie Holt Robert O'Guin Joe Herbert	Sue Smith Janet Williams Joyce Marshall Janice Jordan	

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22		Jim T. Hamilton Maury Co. Courthouse P.O. Box 462 Columbia 38402 Robert L. Jones (retired 12-31-86) William B. Cain (term began 12-31-86) P.O. Box 981 Columbia 38402 James L. Weatherford* P.O. Box 411 Lawrenceburg 38464		Giles Lawrence Maury Wayne	Angelia H. Walls Jerald Wilson Joe Scott Billy G. Crews	Alice Foster Jeneva Frisbie Shirley Napier Carolyn Mathis	
23	Stewart County served by 19th District Chancellor	Robert E. Burch* P.O. Box 158 Dickson Co. Courthouse Charlotte 37036 Leonard Martin P.O. Box 266 Dickson Co. Courthouse Charlotte 37036		Cheatham Dickson Houston Humphreys Stewart	Lloyd Harris Sue Zwingle Cora Sue McMillan Dot Stainforth Margie Page	Dorris Sanders Nancy Miller Patsy Vincent Juanita Quarles Ruby Martin	
24	John Walton West* P.O. Box 645 Huntingdon 38344	James L. England P.O. Box 67 Decaturville 38329 Julian P. Guinn P.O. Box 488 Paris 38242		Benton Carroll Decatur Hardin Henry	Mac Prichard Richard Simmons Charlie Kindle Kenneth Davis Ronnie Myers	Norma Pettyjohn Kenneth Todd Nell England Edwin Ledbetter Reed Brewer	
25	Dewey C. Whitenton P.O. Box 303 116 Warren St. Bolivar 38008 Robert S. Thomas* 164 N. Main St. Ripley 38063	Jon K. Blackwood 119 Fayette E. Somerville 38068		Fayette Hardeman Lauderdale McNairy Tipton	Jimmie German Linda Fulghum Richard Jennings Allen Lipford Doris McKenzie	Barbara Walls Marion Nuckolls Sandra Burnham Fairy Hunter Frances Glen	

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26	Joe C. Morris Madison Co. Courthouse Jackson 38301	Andrew T. Taylor P.O. Box 1423 Jackson 38302 John F. Murchison* Madison Co. Courthouse Jackson 38301		Chester Henderson Madison	Odell Hatch Kenneth Cavness Joe Gaffney	Conan Hall Robbie Wallace Nancy Matthews	
27	Homer W. Bradberry Weakley Co. Courthouse Dresden 38225	Phil B. Harris* 110 Broad St. Greenfield 38230		Obion Weakley	Robert G. Kendall Jerry Reid	Paula Rice Angeline Damron	
28	Marion H. Holmes, Jr. P.O. Box 26 Trenton 38382	Dick Jerman, Jr.* P.O. Box No. 1 Alamo 38001		Crockett Gibson Haywood	Casey Hughes Janice Jones Lou Philpot	James Jerman Wanda Brown (Humboldt) Shirley McGill (Trenton) Evelyn Ballinger	
29	David W. Lanier P.O. Box 822 Dyersburg 38024	Joe G. Riley, Jr.* 115 Lake St. Ridgely 38080		Dyer Lake	Tom Jones Debbie Beasley	Latta Richards Roy Smith	
30	C. Neal Small George T. Lewis, Jr.* D. J. Alissandratos Shelby Co. Courthouse 140 Adams Memphis 38103	Wyeth Chandler Charles O. McPherson James M. Tharpe James E. Swearengen Shepperson A. Wilburn George H. Brown, Jr. Robert A. Lanier William W. O'Hearn Robert L. Childers Shelby Co. Courthouse 140 Adams Memphis 38103	Bernie Weinman L. Terry Lafferty William H. Williams H. T. Lockard Joseph B. Dailey W. Fred Axley Arther T. Bennett Joseph B. McCartie Shelby Co. Justice Complex 201 Poplar Ave. Memphis 38103	Shelby	Clint Crabtree	John Robertson	James Blackwell
31	Warren County served by 12th District Chancellor*	Charles D. Haston* P.O. Box 573 McMinnville 37110		Van Buren Warren	Doris Dukes Claude Vinson	Delma Dishman George Beaver	

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Anderson	7	Lauderdale	25
Bedford	17	Lawrence	22
Benton	24	Lewis	21
Bledsoe	12	Lincoln	17
Blount	5	Loudon	9
Bradley	10	McMinn	10
Campbell	8	McNairy	25
Cannon	16	Macon	15
Carroll	24	Madison	26
Carter	1	Marion	12
Cheatham	23	Marshall	17
Chester	26	Maury	22
Claiborne	8	Meigs	9
Clay	13	Monroe	10
Cocke	4	Montgomery	19
Coffee	14	Moore	17
Crockett	28	Morgan	9
Cumberland	13	Obion	27
Davidson	20	Overton	13
Decatur	24	Perry	21
DeKalb	13	Pickett	13
Dickson	23	Polk	10
Dyer	29	Putnam	13
Fayette	25	Rhea	12
Fentress	8	Roane	9
Franklin	12	Robertson	19
Gibson	28	Rutherford	16
Giles	22	Scott	8
Grainger	4	Sequatchie	12
Greene	3	Sevier	4
Grundy	12	Shelby	30
Hamblen	3	Smith	15
Hamilton	11	Stewart	23
Hancock	3	Sullivan	2
Hardeman	25	Sumner	18
Hardin	24	Tipton	25
Hawkins	3	Trousdale	15
Haywood	28	Unicoi	1
Henderson	26	Union	8
Henry	24	Van Buren	31
Hickman	21	Warren	31
Houston	23	Washington	1
Humphreys	23	Wayne	22
Jackson	15	Weakley	27
Jefferson	4	White	13
Johnson	1	Williamson	21
Knox	6	Wilson	15
Lake	29		

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